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## VISION IS ASKED OF SENIORS AT BACCALAUREATE

Pastor Exhorts Graduates  
At Pottstown High to  
Keep Sight of Objectives

By ED ZUMACH  
(Mercury Staff Writer)

"Go forth with vision, spirit and a task in your mind," the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor of St. James Lutheran church, urged the 165 members of the Pottstown Senior High school graduation class last night at their baccalaureate service in the school auditorium.

"You must have a clear vision of what you want to do and why you want to do it... a spirit which doesn't gloat in victory and give up in defeat... (and) a task to be performed for God and man," the minister to the seniors.

He hoped that like the burning bush from which God spoke to Moses, the pupils in undertaking their "new endeavors" are not "consumed, but may fill the task given by God."

While more than 550 parents, friends and teachers listened also, the Rev. Horn scored the "self-deceit" prevalent in the world. He said too many people hold themselves as models because they have more physical wealth than their neighbors, but "the educated man sees in everything the sacredness of God."

HE URGED the graduates not to think futilely that there are no more frontiers for them to open. "There are plenty of frontiers yet to be opened... there's a great deal to be done" in medicine, science and in winning peace, he asserted.

"Every man or woman who has been a success has been a man or woman with vision," the minister said. He listed the Wright brothers, Thomas A. Edison, Helen Keller and Louis Pasteur as examples. "We must place our dependence on God and realize what we are doing is being done for God," he continued. "It takes (Continued on Page Fourteen)

## 1st Baptist Seats 46 Officers in Morning Service

Forty-six church and Sunday school officers were installed at the morning service in First Baptist church yesterday.

The charge to the 21 church and 25 school officers was delivered by the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor. The installation followed a vocal solo "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled" at the 10:45 a. m. service.

Deacons installed to the church were Robert Y. Kurtz, J. Rupert Miller, Clyde A. Moore and Amos B. Ziegler.

Trustees—Jay W. Hazlett and Albert C. Seawell took the oath and installed to the board of Christian education were Evan W. Haley, Mrs. William R. Shutt and Harry W. Wilson.

OTHER NEW church officers at the installation were William R. Shutt, church clerk; Mrs. Shutt, assistant clerk; Mildred Foley, treasurer; R. Conrad Miller, financial secretary; Mrs. C. Russell Cattell, benevolence secretary; Raymond Deterrer, auditing committee.

Also, Mrs. J. Rupert Miller, Mrs. Vernon D. Levengood, Mrs. Maurice Borneman and Mrs. R. Y. Kurtz, deaconesses; William H. Price, chief usher; Leon K. Hause. (Continued on Page Fourteen)

## Local Merchants Find Saturday's Sales Hit Peak

Pottstown merchants closed their stores reluctantly Saturday night. Bumper-to-bumper, buyers rolled in the borough from all main highways in what local store owners viewed as one of the best Saturdays on record.

Merchants agreed it was the (Continued on Page Five)

### THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair and less humid today, highest temperature 72 to 78 degrees. Cool tonight. Tomorrow, generally fair and mild.

**74 Mercury 64**  
High Antics Low  
TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	66	4 p. m.	70
5 a. m.	66	5 p. m.	71
6 a. m.	66	6 p. m.	73
7 a. m.	65	7 p. m.	74
8 a. m.	65	8 p. m.	72
9 a. m.	65	9 p. m.	71
10 a. m.	65	10 p. m.	70
11 a. m.	66	11 p. m.	67
12 m.	67	12 p. m.	67
1 p. m.	67	1 p. m.	66
2 p. m.	68	2 a. m.	64
3 p. m.	69	3 a. m.	64

## Youths Who Tore Flag Are Freed Without Hearing

See Editorial, "Strengthen the Faith," on Page 4.

Two 20-year-old Pottstown youths arrested for disorderly conduct after tearing down an American flag at High and Washington streets escaped possible jail sentences and heavy fines Saturday when they were permitted to forfeit their bonds in lieu of a hearing.

The youths, Richard Spare, of 858 North Evans street, and Thomas F. Storm Jr., 565 High street, forfeited bonds of \$15 each and were made to apologize to Patrolman Lorin Leuthold, the arresting officer.

They could have faced jail sentences ranging from six months to a year and fines from \$200 to \$500 for insulting and desecrating the flag.

Spare and Storm were arrested early Saturday morning by Leuthold and Patrolman William H. Myers shortly after leaving a nearby taproom when Storm pulled the flag from a light standard, snapping off its bracket. He trailed it along the wet pavement before dropping it on the ground.

It was picked up by Spare, who also trailed it on the ground and then dropped it. Leuthold shouted for the youths to halt, but it was not until he threatened to shoot that Spare was arrested.

Storm was taken into custody by Myers a few moments later. Both were held under \$15 bail for a hearing before Justice of the Peace Richard H. Cadmus, of the (Continued on Page Fourteen)

## Man Reported Critical After Injury to Head

A Pottstown man who underwent an emergency operation for a fractured skull at Memorial hospital Saturday was reported in critical condition early this morning.

Martin Clark, 31, of 448 High street, was admitted to Memorial hospital at 7:05 p. m. Saturday, and the emergency operation was performed at midnight by a Philadelphia specialist brought to Pottstown to perform the operation.

Clark had been ordered to the hospital by Dr. Robert H. Linn, Pottstown physician, who had treated Clark since early Saturday morning.

Mrs. Dawn Clark, the wife of the injured man, said that she heard moaning coming from the alleyway beside her home about 3:30 a. m. and that she and Mrs. Katherine Razor, who had been staying with her, went down to investigate.

They found Clark unconscious in the alley and managed to carry him upstairs to the second floor. When he did not become conscious after they attempted to revive him, they called Dr. Linn.

DR. LINN administered treatment for shock and when his condition did not improve later in the day ordered Clark taken to Memorial hospital.

Linn said that from the way Clark's skull was injured it was doubtful whether he had been struck a blow. He said that if any one had struck Clark on the head, there would have been an abrasion. (Continued on Page Six)

### RAIN HOLDS OFF FOR PROGRAM

## 500 Witness Pottsgrove Manor Opening



Lieut. Gov. Lloyd H. Wood addresses the throng of visitors at the official opening of Pottsgrove manor on the porch of the 200-year-old residence of John Potts, founder of Pottstown. Lieut. Gov. Wood, the principal speaker, reviewed the history of the mansion and its restoration by the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum commission. Threatening skies darkened the out-door exercises, but rainfall did not begin until the ceremonies were almost completed.

## AREA MAN HURT, AUTO DAMAGED IN SAME SPOT

Gilbertsville Man Suffers  
Fracture of Leg When  
He Steps Into Car's Path

A Gilbertsville man was injured seriously Saturday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock at the same spot where his car was struck just a few minutes earlier by a hit-and-run driver.

Frank Linsensbiger, 61, was treated at Pottstown hospital for a double compound fracture of the right lower leg and lacerations and abrasions of the left forehead after he stepped into the path of an auto driven by Milford R. Klotz, 38, of Boyertown RD 1, on Route 73 in Gilbertsville.

His condition late last night was reported good.

Linsensbiger's parked automobile had been struck by a hit-and-run motorist about 15 minutes before he himself was hit by Klotz's car.

The hit-and-run car had sideswiped Linsensbiger's sedan, damaging the left rear fender.

EARL FROENHEISER, Boyertown, had been behind the hit-and-run car and gave chase toward Fegleysville.

He succeeded in getting the license number and returned to the scene of the accident to notify Linsensbiger.

Froenheiser parked on the opposite side of the road from Linsensbiger and yelled to him that he had the license number of the (Continued on Page Fourteen)

## Sun Shines After Rains Ruin Holiday

Pottstown rose gasping from a Memorial Day weekend more suitable for travel by water wings than automobile yesterday afternoon when the skies began clearing after soaking the area with 2.26 inches of rain.

The final downpour, which sent nearby streams up to and over their banks and forced six and a half hours of pumping from the sanitary sewers, ended at 2:30 o'clock.

Fair and less humid weather today is expected to cramp the rain-maker's style, the weatherman said. The mercury will reach a peak between 72 and 78 degrees, but it will be cool tonight.

Generally fair and mild weather is forecast for tomorrow.

THE TOTAL of 2.26 inches of rain which spoiled the weekend was measured from 8 o'clock the past Thursday night. There were .32 inches by 8 o'clock Friday morning.

Another .62 inches had fallen by 8 o'clock Saturday morning and an additional .68 inches by 8 o'clock yesterday morning. In the few short hours before the rain finally let up, .64 more had been measured.

A particularly heavy rain between 7:30 and 9 o'clock yesterday morning sent the Schuylkill river level up 1 1/2 feet and pushed the Manatany up to the limit of its (Continued on Page Five)

## Four Uninjured As Car Upsets

Four persons escaped without injury Saturday night when their car upset on Crow Hill, near Forge-dale, after its headlights went out and it struck a ditch.

Kermit L. Gottshall, Boyertown RD 1, the driver of the car, said he was coming down the steep hill and snapped the switch to put his headlights on high beam. As he did so, the fuse blew out and left him driving in total darkness.

He slammed on his brakes, but the car edged into the ditch and upset on its left side.

"It was miraculous no one was hurt," Gottshall said later.

Passengers in the car were Mrs. Gottshall and Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Gauger, Barto RD 1. Gauger managed to climb out one of the doors and assisted the others.

The fenders and a rear window of the car were damaged and its wheels were jarred out of line. It was towed to a garage near Bechtelsville.

## Four Accidents Occur in Town Over Weekend

Four accidents occurred over the weekend in Pottstown. In two of them only one car was involved, one hitting a tree and the other an electric pole.

Ferrol Walker, Apartment 32C, Road A, Hilldale, said he dozed at the wheel when his sedan hit a tree and rolled over on Center avenue between Keim and Price streets at 3:45 a. m. yesterday.

Keim was going west on Center street.

Damage to his car was: Right front wheel torn off, right front fender dented, right rear door glass broken, hood damaged, left front and rear fenders and top left side dented, and the trunk lid and rear left side badly damaged.

The tree which the car struck on Center avenue also was damaged.

FRANK L. Millard Jr., 62 South Charlotte street, was going north on Hanover street at 3:20 a. m. yesterday when his car struck an electric pole, broke the light off and sent wires from the pole onto the highway.

Millard said that a car coming from the other direction on Hanover street had high beam lights which temporarily blinded him making it unavoidable to miss the pole.

The entire front of Millard's car was badly damaged. Fenders of each car involved were scraped and one of the drivers was arrested for disorderly conduct. (Continued on Page Six)

# Ambulance Crew Rescues 5 From Coal Gas Fumes



—Mercury Staff Photo

Howard DeLong, 67, and his wife Cora, 66, are recovering after a narrow escape from death by asphyxiation, in their home on Union street on the outskirts of Royersford. Visiting at the couple's home at the time of the incident were their son, daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Morris, Jennie and Mabel DeLong, of Souderton. An ambulance crew of three from the Friendship Fire company was incidental in saving the lives of the five persons made unconscious by coal gas fumes. Administering a dose of medicine to her father is Mrs. Agnes Grebe.

## Pageant Play to Be Presented At Ceremonies for Ninth Grade

"The Dream Peddler," a pageant play, will be presented by the 311 Ninth grade pupils of Pottstown Junior High school at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in the school auditorium prior to their promotion exercises.

Directed by Vice Principal Helen Purnell, the production will relate the story of a dream peddler who shows a boy and girl how their dreams can come true. The boy and girl represent the children in the school's Ninth grade.

Episodes in the pageant will illustrate dreams of beauty, freedom, melody and education. In the epilogue, fulfillment of a dream, the class will be presented by Dr. George A. McCormick, superintendent of schools, to School Board President H. Bert Shaw.

Shaw then will present a master certificate of promotion representing those of each member of the class, to Student Council President Kenneth Pence. The pupils will receive their individual certificates June 11, the last day of school.

AWARDS FOR outstanding service to the school will be made by representatives of school organizations, and Principal William H. Mower will present scholarship awards.

Closing the pageant will be the

traditional key ceremony in which the retiring president of student council presents a mahogany key to the incoming president. The latter this year will be Robert March.

Every member of the class will participate in the show, as a member of the costumed group which presents the episodes, the chorus which will sing the musical background, the band or the stage crew.

Leading roles in the production are enacted by Carl Kowalski, Anna Mae Rubert, Philip Levitz, Joel Eisner, Betsy Shaw, Elsie Dindino, David Teitelbaum, Margaret

Levengood and Heather David. A Dream of Education will be presented by Larry DeLong, Lyndell Swartz, Michael Hoffman, Curtis Brendlinger, Josephine Brown, Richard Brown, Joan Buchanan, Richard Clouser, Barbara Craig, Ramona Deery, Shirley DeTurck, Barbara DeWalt and Robert Drumheller.

Also Rosanne Durchein, Richard (Continued on Page Fourteen)

## Gas Rate Boost Request Would Affect 267 Here

Two hundred and sixty-seven Pottstown homes will be affected by an increase in gas rates for house heating and other space heating to be filed today with the Public Utility commission by the Philadelphia Electric company. If approved the rates will be effective Aug. 2.

The new schedule will increase the annual cost of gas to the average house-heating customer about 14 percent and will affect some 42,000 users in Montgomery, Bucks, Delaware and Chester counties, the company said.

Gas customers will feel the effect of the rate hike when they have used 10,000 cubic feet of the fuel a month. The price for the gas will be 65 instead of 50 cents per 1000 cubic feet over 10,000.

Up to 10,000 cubic feet the

rates remain the same: \$1 for all or any part of the first 200 cubic feet, \$1.30 per 1000 for the next 1800 cubic feet and 80 cents per 1000 for the next 8000 cubic feet.

R. G. RINCLIFFE, Philadelphia Electric president, said the decision to increase gas heating rates was made only after thorough study.

He said the higher rates are necessary despite increased capacity and operating economics resulting from the use of natural gas and the increase in the heat content of the gas supplied.

In a letter gas users will receive today the company states:

"The use of gas for heating homes and other space heating varies greatly during the year. There is heavy use on a few really cold winter days, less use on moderate days and little or none in summer."

"We must, however, maintain facilities all year which are large enough to supply our customers' requirements on the coldest days. The costs of meeting these maximum requirements have increased to the point where higher rates must be charged for house heating and space heating service."

The company said the upward rate revision is only the second it has filed in more than 20 years, although several decreases have been made effective in that period.

## Partial Operation To Start at Plant

Some operations will be resumed at Pottstown Manufacturing plant, Schuylkill avenue, South Pottstown, today, after a month of idleness.

Ira B. Trate, works manager, said yesterday there would be "some workers on the job." He did not know how employees would report after the strike which tentatively was settled this past Wednesday.

Amalgamated Local 644, United Auto Workers (CIO) and company representatives met Wednesday and reached a tentative agreement on a contract. The proposed contract must be ratified by the membership at a meeting in the CIO hall, 364 King street a week from today.

Pickets which had stood guard at the South Pottstown plant since the beginning of the strike this past April 30 left their posts after the tentative agreement was reached in the Federal mediation office, Philadelphia.

## Borough Stores Begin Wednesday Afternoon Period of Closing

Shopping hours will be shorter on Wednesdays in Pottstown from this week until September.

To give their employees and themselves a "breather" during the hot summer months, borough store owners will close their shops at 12:30 p. m. Wednesday and reopen the next morning. This policy will prevail during June, July and August.

## Firemen Find All Unconscious In Their Beds

An ambulance crew of the Friendship Fire company, Royersford, saved the lives of five persons from asphyxiation by coal gas from a kitchen stove Saturday.

Paul Isett, Russell Reitnour and Charles Edleman Jr., who manned the ambulance, gave emergency treatment to Howard DeLong, 67, his wife, Cora, 66, and the couple's son, daughter-in-law and granddaughter in the DeLong home on Union street on the outskirts of Royersford.

Morris DeLong, 38, and his wife Jennie, 33, who live in Souderton, were visiting the home of his parents with their daughter, Mabel, 7, when the incident occurred.

Edleman, one of the ambulance crew, said that the ambulance arrived at the DeLong home at about 11:30 a. m., Saturday, after being summoned by Mrs. Everett Collopy and found one person unconscious in each of three rooms in the four-room bungalow, and the elder DeLongs in their bed in the fourth room.

The crew went to work with a respirator on the couple in bed. They plugged a 50-foot hose onto the respirator and administered oxygen to the other three persons in small doses in order to retain life, running from one to the other as best they could.

THE AMBULANCE crew worked feverishly for about an hour until Dr. John J. Maron, of Royersford, arrived to assist.

Commenting on the men's efforts, Dr. Maron said that he was not even needed with such an efficient crew.

Mrs. Collopy was first to suspect (Continued on Page Six)

## Driver Injured In Rt. 83 Crash

A Pottstown motorist was injured early this morning when his car sideswiped another car on Route 83 in Kenilworth and then swerved off the road into a field near the home of Mrs. Russell Keim, 1031 Schuylkill road, before crashing broadside against a telephone pole.

The driver, who said he was Charles Molzen, 26, of Pottstown RD 1, suffered a laceration of the top of his right foot.

He was taken to Memorial hospital for treatment in a Good Will ambulance manned by Paul Kilburn and Charles Dinnini.

Molzen was traveling west on Schuylkill road when his car struck (Continued on Page Six)

## \$500 Bail Set For Men Held In Overcharges

John Rupert, 47, of 71 Beech street, and three other men accused of selling potatoes at above ceiling prices were held in \$500 bail each in Philadelphia Saturday for a further hearing, by U. S. Commissioner Henry P. Carr.

Agents for the Office of Price Stabilization said the case was the Nation's first criminal prosecution in the Government's campaign to smash the potato black market.

The other men arrested with Rupert about 8:40 o'clock Friday night near Chester by OPS (Continued on Page Six)

## ON THE MAIN DRAG

GEORGE SHERIDAN  
—reassuring some business activities.

MELVIN B. KRAUSE  
—recalling Memorial Day events of yesteryear.

WAYNE QUERY  
—bragging of sight-seeing in Reading.

RICHARD HOFFMAN  
—boasting of making a home run hit.

GEORGE MAUGER  
—making extensive changes to property.

PAUL GUMPERT  
—watching rising water of Manatany creek.

NEIL A. LYSENBY  
—urging true observance of Memorial Day.

NORMAN ELLIS  
—discussing the coming circus season here.

JAMES C. WILKE  
—greeting a friend from his truck.



# CHURCH CALENDAR

**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
Balfanz, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Tomorrow, Ladies' Aids society, 7:45 p. m.; Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.; church council, 8:30 p. m.; Friday, Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Saturday, Junior choir, 9 a. m.; children's program rehearsal.

Salem, the Rev. John F. Willson, pastor. Thursday, Ladies' Aids society at home of Mrs. Job Yarnell, 511 North Brant street.

**BAPTIST**  
First, the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor. Today, sunrise service, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, church school, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, Junior choir, 4:30 p. m.; midweek prayer service, 8 p. m.; Thursday, WMS, 8 p. m.; Saturday, "We Two's" service, 8 p. m.

**BRETHREN**  
First, the Rev. Ralph R. Frey, pastor. Wednesday, prayer meeting, 8 p. m.; study, 7:30 p. m.; Senior choir, 8:30 p. m.; Thursday, Junior choir, 7 p. m.

**LUTHERAN**  
Emmanuel, the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor. Today, church council, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, sewing by Mothers' class and Misses, 8 p. m.; Thursday, church school, 8 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.; Friday, church school, 8 p. m.; Saturday, church school, 8 p. m.

Grace, the Rev. Edgar S. Brown Jr., pastor. Wednesday, Ladies' Bible class, 8 p. m.; Thursday, church school, 8 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.

St. James', the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor. Tomorrow, WMS picnic at home of Mrs. Paul Kraus, Range Road, 8:30 p. m.; Wednesday, church council, 8 p. m.

St. John's, South Pottstown, the Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor. Today, Senior Luther league, 7:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Home Missions institute, all day; church school, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Junior choir, 8:30 p. m.; Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Friday, Junior Luther league, 7 p. m.

St. Peter's, Stowe, the Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor. Wednesday, Friendly Bible class, 8 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.; Thursday, vestry, 7:30 p. m.; Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Friday, Junior choir, 4 p. m.

Transfiguration, the Rev. Theodore L. Fischer, pastor. Today, League of St. Andrew, 7 p. m.; Thursday, church council, 7 p. m.; Senior choir, 7:45 p. m.; vestry, 8 p. m.; Friday, Junior choir, 3:45 p. m.

**REFORMED**  
St. Paul's, Stowe, the Rev. Paul C. Scheier, pastor. Thursday, choir, 7 p. m.; parcel post social, 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, Youth Fellowship at St. John's, 7 p. m.

St. John's, the Rev. Paul C. Scheier, pastor. Tomorrow, church school council, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Junior choir, 8:45 p. m.; Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Friday, church school, 8 p. m.; Saturday, Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's, the Rev. Michael R. Schmidt, pastor. Today, sunrise service, 7:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Reformed league, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, church school, 8 p. m.; Thursday, church school, 8 p. m.

Trinity, the Rev. John S. Frantz, pastor. Today, Boy Scout troop committee, 8:30 p. m.; tomorrow, church extension society, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, Junior choir, 8:30 p. m.; Young People's choir, 8:30 p. m.; Thursday, Ladies' Aids society, 8:30 p. m.; Senior choir, 8 p. m.; meeting, 9 p. m.; Saturday, Youth Fellowship trip to Lancaster, 9:30 a. m.

**METHODIST**  
First, the Rev. Martin J. Brinton, pastor. Wednesday, special prayer, 7:45 p. m.; Thursday, WMS, 8 p. m.; program and installation of officers, 7:45 p. m.

Searles, the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, pastor. Today, official board, 7:45 p. m.; tomorrow, Daughters of the King Bible class dinner at Clover Leaf restaurant, 8:30 p. m.; Wednesday, midweek work, 8:30 p. m.; Saturday, Young Adult miniature golf party, 8 p. m.

**OTHER CHURCHES**  
Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Linaker, pastor. Tomorrow, confirmation class, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, Women's guild, 10:30 until 3 p. m.; Junior choir, 7 p. m.; Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Friday, vestry, 8 p. m.

First Presbyterian, the Rev. A. Burtis Hallock Jr., pastor. Tomorrow, Cycle one at the home of Mrs. Hugh McDevitt, 1137 Queen street, 1 p. m.; Circle two at the home of Mrs. S. Rea Morris, 335 High street, 1 p. m.; Circle three at the home of Mrs. George P. Ballard, Grandview road, 1 p. m.; Thursday, Circle four in church house, 8 p. m.

Calvary Pentecostal, Pottstown Landing, the Rev. Harry Sparks Jr., pastor. Thursday, prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.; Friday, street meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Christian Science, Wednesday, service and testimonies of Christian Science healing, 8 p. m.

Holiness Christian, the Rev. Berwin Heinley, pastor. Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7:45 p. m.

# Total Immersion Practiced



—Mercury Staff Photo

Mrs. Regina MacDonald, of Philadelphia, is shown being immersed in the waters of the Manatawny Creek near Dandy Dam during a baptism ceremony conducted by the Union Gospel Church Mission of Philadelphia yesterday afternoon. Performing the rite of baptism is the Rev. Dr. David A. Johns, bishop of the mission, and the Rev. Calvin Monroe (back to camera), of the Bethany Pentecost Chapel, Pottstown RD 3. Besides Mrs. MacDonald, those who were immersed included 12-year-old Betty Hammel, of Pottstown RD 3; and Mrs. Katherine McCoombe and Ernest Williams, both of Philadelphia. Thirty persons viewed the ceremony, which is held to wash away the sins of the participants. Rainy weather, which forced postponement a week ago, caused high, swift and muddy waters, but the ceremony was conducted without incident.

# FIVE RESCUED —

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that there was something wrong at the DeLong household when she saw that a visiting physician, Dr. Henry Graber, had called at the home and had not gained admittance.

Knowing that the DeLongs were expecting the doctor and that they would not leave their home without canceling the appointment with him, she notified two of the DeLong's daughters who lived nearby, Mrs. Harvey Grebe and Mrs. Perry Grebe.

The women rushed to the DeLong bungalow and found all the doors locked.

They pounded on the back door to the house and succeeded in arousing Howard DeLong, who, despite a serious leg injury which Dr. Graber had called to treat, managed to stumble to the back door and barely open the latch before collapsing on the floor.

MRS. COLLOPY called the Friendship Community ambulance and when she found that she could not contact the couple's family physician, Dr. Maron was called.

The elder DeLongs, who were quickly regained consciousness, but the couple's visitors, who were given oxygen only as it could be spared from life emergency feed-line on the respirator, were only semi-conscious by the time Dr. Maron arrived.

When further efforts failed com-

# Steber to Sing Recital Tonight

Eleanor Steber, Metropolitan Opera soprano, whose scheduled appearance in April had to be canceled because of illness, will sing at the final concert of the Pottstown Community Concert association in the Senior High school at 8:30 o'clock tonight.

Miss Steber had been scheduled to sing the past April 14. She was forced to postpone her concert at the last minute, however, when she developed bronchitis.

Members of the association called nearly all ticket holders at that

pletely to revive Mr. and Mrs. Morris DeLong and their daughter, the three were removed to Phoenixville hospital under the orders of Dr. Maron.

Their condition improved rapidly and at 11 a. m. yesterday morning they were released.

The stove which gave off the coal gas fumes was a kitchen type coal-burning cook stove located in a rear room opposite the bedroom occupied by the younger DeLongs. The older couple had slept in a front bedroom which was further removed from the fumes which in addition to their receiving a steady supply of oxygen accounts for their rapid recovery.

# War Crime Prisoner Is Released on Parole

BONN, Germany, June 1 (AP) — German Field Marshal Albert Kesselring, serving a life sentence for war crimes, has been released on parole for a week to visit a sick relative, British officials announced today.

They declined to identify the "sick relative" or say where Kesselring had gone.

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# Norco Seniors Hear Sermon in Shenkel Church

Blue-gowned Seniors of North Coventry High school last night went one stride closer to graduation at baccalaureate services in rose-decorated Shenkel church.

With 300 relatives and friends in the pews and with baskets of pink roses and mock oranges perfuming the humid air, graduates-to-be heard the Rev. Russell R. G. Berger, pastor of Shenkel Evangelical and Reformed church, speak on the "Fruits of the Spirit."

The young pastor told 56 Seniors there are two ways to travel in life, the high road and the low road. He pointed out the low road is fraught with selfishness, greed and dissipation and the high road is a road of love, goodness and helpfulness.

The Rev. Berger quoted Horace Mann, late Columbia university educator: "Be ashamed to die until you have won some victory for mankind."

A PROCESSIONAL of Seniors, the faculty, the school board, the choir and three pastors formed outside the rustic church and marched in the front entrance.

The class, choir and pastors joined in the recessional.

The Rev. Charles Truax, pastor of Cedarville and Temple Methodist churches, pronounced the invocation and benediction.

The Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, South Pottstown, read the Scripture and led in prayer.

A 22-voice choir composed of parishioners of St. John's, Coventryville, Shenkel and Coventry Brethren churches sang "Send Out Thy Light."

Guest organist was Thelma Richards, former organist at Shenkel Reformed church.

**STRIKE IS VOTED**  
PITTSBURGH, June 1 (AP)—Two AFL Teamsters union locals voted today to call a strike against the ready-mix concrete industry and the lumber institute of Allegheny county.

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# BOROUGH ACCIDENTS

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duct on the road, Saturday night.

EMIL F. Spacek, Gilbertsville, said he was going south on Charlotte street and that he stopped in the line of traffic at the Lee street intersection.

In front of his car, he said, was a bus and four other automobiles. He said that a car driven by Lloyd R. Moll, 230 North Jordan street, Allentown, attempted to pass his own and scraped his car's left side from the rear to the front and kept on going.

Spacek said that he chased the car for more than a block before he succeeded in getting the other auto to pull off to the side of the street.

Moll said that he was going south on Charlotte street and passed a bus that was stopped when a car pulled up and told him to stop.

PATROLMAN WILLIAM Mars, after investigating the accident, arrested Moll on a charge of disorderly conduct on the road.

Spacek went before Justice of the Peace Raymond C. Kelley, of the Second ward, and had Moll charged with hit-and-run and failing to stop and identify himself at the scene of an accident.

Moll also will be brought before Justice of the Peace Richard H. Cadmus, of the Seventh ward on the disorderly conduct charge.

Damage to Spacek's car amounted to scrapes and dents of the entire left side.

The Moll car's right front fender was scraped. Because Moll was put under arrest at the scene of the accident, it was necessary to have his automobile towed away. It was taken to the Pottstown Auto Refinishing company.

Two westbound cars collided on West High street, near Art's Diner, late yesterday afternoon as one attempted to cut into the second lane of traffic and struck the other.

Raymond L. Ludy, 29 Custer court, Penn Village, said he looked out of his rear window and did not see any cars approaching when he began to

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# \$500 BAIL —

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agents as they sold 100-pound bags of potatoes, regardless of size and grade, for \$9.50 a bag, are Russell Minischi, 19, of Norristown, and Sam Pontino, 32, and James De Witt, 18, both of Bridgeport.

The ceiling price for top grade potatoes is \$3.75. Special Agent Henry Haines, said the men had trucked the potatoes from South Carolina where the ceiling price is \$3 per 100 pounds.

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# DEATHS—FUNERALS

# Twin-Boro News

**Deaths**

**LONGAKER**—In Royersford, on Sunday, June 1, 1952, Henry Correll Longaker, husband of Annie Fisher Longaker, aged 87 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the Nelson Funeral Home Inc., 367 Walnut St., Royersford, on Wednesday, June 4, at 2 p. m. Interment: Schwenksville cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday evening 7 to 9.

**REED**—In Royersford, on Friday, May 30, 1952, Catherine C. Reed, widow of Abraham T. Reed, aged 94 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral at the Nelson Funeral Home Inc., 367 Walnut St., Royersford, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. All services in St. Luke's Reformed church, Trappe, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment: St. Luke's cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Monday evening 7 to 9.

**Card of Thanks**

**HUBER**

I wish to thank the neighbors and friends for the kind assistance and sympathy, floral tributes and use of cars offered during my recent bereavement for Charles F. Huber.

DAIRY B. KRYDER

I want to thank my friends for all the cards and flowers I received while in the hospital.

MR. EARL DETWILER

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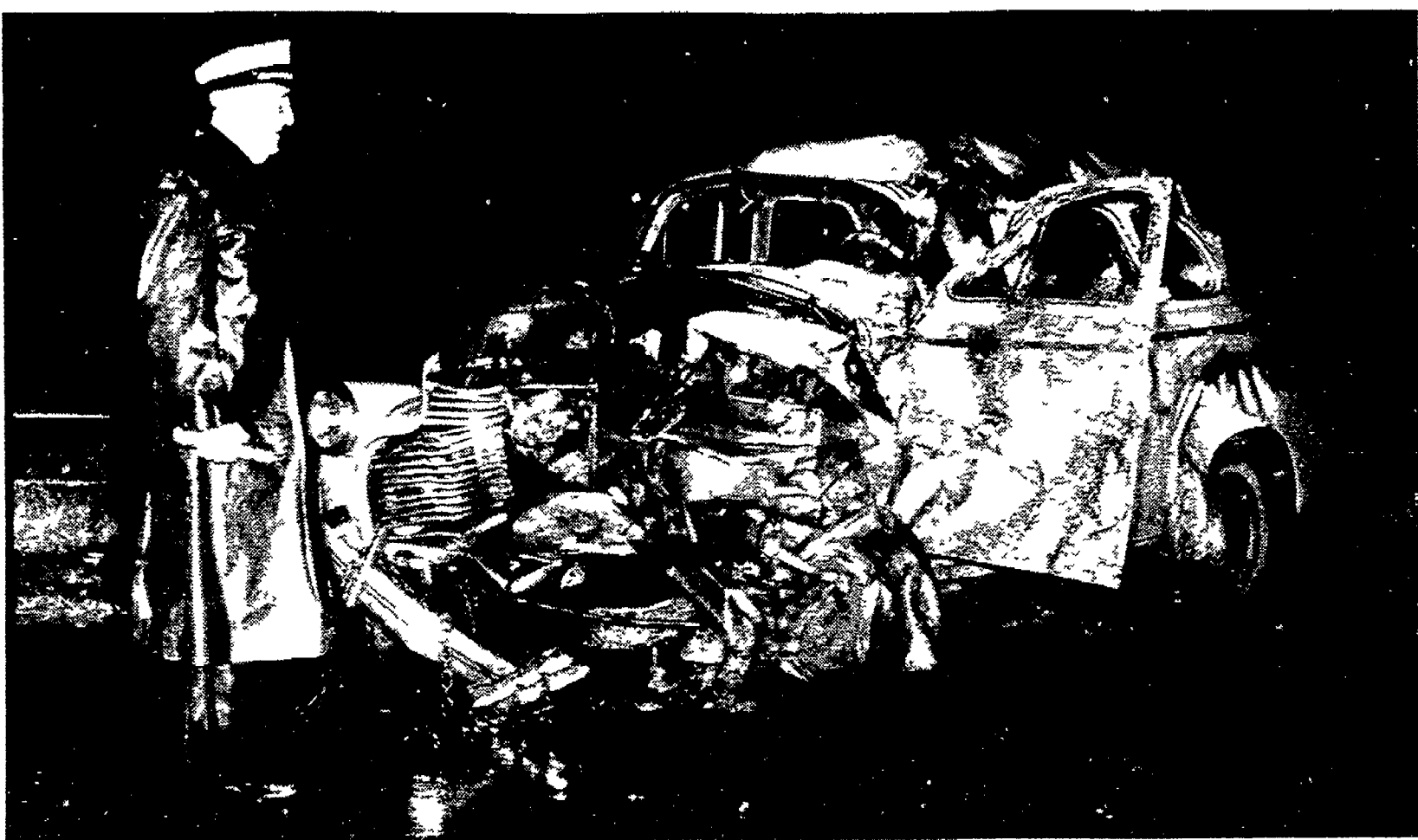
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William Yost, 40, of 451 Beech street, Pottstown, was killed in a head-on collision of two cars on rain-soaked Route 83 Saturday morning. Yost was identified as the driver of the car in the picture. Spring City Chief of Police John Hanebury stands by the wreck. A third car was struck by flying debris. Injured was Joseph W. Carl, 28, Spring City RD 1, reportedly the driver of the car which collided with the Yost auto. Yost was pinned under the wreckage after the left front wheels of the cars crashed and his car was turned over on its side. The accident occurred between the junction of the old Schuylkill road and the Bridge street intersection.

# Pottstown Man Killed In Route 83 Crash

A Pottstown man was killed another driver injured and three cars were damaged in a near head-on crash on rain-soaked Route 83, a half mile west of Spring City, early Saturday morning.

Pronounced dead on arrival at Phoenixville hospital was William Yost, 40, of 451 Beech street, Pottstown, who was driving towards his home from Phoenixville.

Injured was Joseph W. Carl, 28, Spring City RD 1, reportedly the driver of a car going east which collided with the machine driven by Yost.

Carl was admitted to the same hospital with lacerations of the nose, forehead and knee and possible fractured ribs. His condition was reported "fair."

A THIRD car, operated by Benjamin F. Good, 24, Spring City RD 1, a former schoolmate of Carl, was hit by flying debris from the two wrecked cars. Neither Good, yet arranged a date for the inquest.

Friendship Community ambulance, manned by Paul Iselt and Charles Edleman Jr., Royersford, took Yost and Carl to Phoenixville hospital.

According to Phoenixville police Yost, formerly of Phoenixville, had stopped at the police station in that borough at 2:11 a. m. to visit a friend, Patrolman John Szenski, who was not on duty. He then started the homeward trip which ended in his death.

The left front end and side of Yost's car were damaged badly, and Carl's sedan was virtually demolished.

YOST WAS born in Phoenixville and lived in Pottstown the past six years.

According to witnesses, Carl was unable to swing back into his traffic lane in time to avoid colliding with the car operated by William Yost. The left front wheels of the two cars crashed. Yost's car was

turned over on its side and he was pinned under the wreckage.

One passing motorist came to Royersford and reported the accident at 2:30 a. m. to Patrolman Uriah Fox, who notified State police at Paoli barracks. Fox investigated at the scene and aided in the removal of Yost and the injured man while awaiting the arrival of State Policeman Joseph Hovametz. Another passing motorist also notified Phoenixville police.

Surviving are his wife Eliza North Washington street, Pottstown. Interment will be made in William Yost Sr., Phoenixville; Swamp Lutheran cemetery. The two sons William 3d and Thomas at home, a stepson, Charles Hunsberger, Harrisburg, two brothers, Francis, Phoenixville, and Joseph 144 Hall street, Spring City, and a sister, Mrs. Helen Maile Phoenixville.

He was a member of Zion's Reformed church, Pottstown; the Die Casters club and Pottstown town visiting the former's parents, Orioles. He was employed the past five years as a tool grinder at the Doehler-Jarvis corporation.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a funeral home at 112

Funeral services for CHARLES F. HUBER, 763 MAIN STREET, ROYERSFORD, who died in Montgomery County Institution District hospital, were conducted in a funeral home at 600 Washington street, Royersford Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Paul J. Henry, pastor of Royersford Grace Lutheran church, officiated.

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**Auxiliary of Hospital To Meet Tonight at 8**

Members of Spring-Ford auxiliary of Phoenixville hospital will hold their monthly meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in Royersford Baptist recreation room.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Alice Hunter, Mrs. Mary Ehrhart and Mrs. Maude Buckwalter.

**Holy Confirmation Rite Given in Zion Church**

The rite of Holy Confirmation was administered yesterday during the Choral Eucharist in Zion Lutheran church, near Spring City.

Those confirmed were Elizabeth Kols and Salvatore Panaro. The Rev. Eugene C. Harmony, pastor, was the celebrant and preached the Whitsunday sermon on the topic, "The Great Apostolate."

Whitmonday Holy Communion will be celebrated this morning at 8:30 o'clock.

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# Committees Are Named For Bazaar by Deb-Aides

Committees for the Bicentennial Bazaar have been announced by the Deb-Aide auxiliary of Pottstown hospital, one of the four branches of the hospital auxiliaries to help conduct the affair.

Sponsored by the Senior auxiliary, members of the Junior, Teen-Aide and Deb-Aide auxiliaries also are aiding.

Deb-Aide members will mingle with the crowd selling their wares in costumes of Colonial days. They will carry baskets filled with cookies, candy, peanuts and freshly-cut flowers.

THE FOLLOWING have been appointed to committees:  
Food, Marcella Silvano, chairman; Angelina Rinaldi, co-chairman; Elso Uckovich, Jeanette Detweiler, Margaret Yost, Doris Trythall, Carol Pickar, Ruth Ann Riley and Margaret Istenes, aides. These girls will help serve the meals in the afternoon.  
Food committee for the evening meals includes:

BARBARA GROVE, chairman; Elsie Dindino, co-chairman; Margaret Gilbert, Barbara Brunner, Carol Christ, Patricia Foltz, Patricia Missimer, Dale Lang, Elaine Reifsnider, Jane and Pat Neiffer, Shirley Vassil, Pat Whalen, Sandra Whitacre, Virginia Veach, Lynn Yerger, Patsy Zeigler and Dolores Heckenberger, aides.  
Flowers: Mary Welsh, chairman; Doris Hunsberger, co-chairman; Mary Ann Adams, Janice Begel, Naomi Bewley, Marianne Dellaquila, Shirley Eachus, Alice Erb, Theresa Genevy, Joan Barber, Ruby Goodheart, Shirley Jones, Margaret Levengood, Alberta Mackewicz, Ruth Mest, Carol Neynesch, Barbara Shellenberger, Janet Templin, Janet Wolf, Virginia Yocum, Heather Davidheiser, Mary Ann Clemens, Georgianne Jacobs and Pat Wagner, aides.  
Candy: Claire Bush, chairman; Phyllis Hall, co-chairman; Joan Barrett, Shirley Baldwin, Mary Farrynski, Doris Fisher, Linda Fisher, Barbara Goswelin, Marlene Hall, Sylvia Hartman, Sue Mallison, Ruby Mars, Elizabeth Miller, Joan Miller, Carol Poper, Pat Quay, Pat Rossner, Nancy Swartz, Christine Swavely, Sharon

**Miscellaneous Party Fetes Miss Mathias, To Be Wed June 28**  
Miss Dorothy Mathias of Congo was guest of honor recently at a surprise miscellaneous bridal shower given by her sister-in-law, Mrs. LeRoy Mathias, at her Pennsburg home.  
Co-hostesses for the party were Miss Jeanette Koch and Mrs. Raymond Gaugler.  
Miss Mathias, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mathias, will become the bride of Mr. Paul Schoenly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Schoenly of Frederick, on Saturday, June 28, at Christ Reformed church, Natick.

For the shower Mrs. Mathias decorated her home with pastel streamers, and used the streamers to attach the gifts to a bride doll in the center of a table.  
AFTER THE gifts were opened, buffet refreshments were served from a table centered with a large bride's cake.  
Attending were Mrs. Rufus Schoenly, Miss Alice Schoenly, Miss Nancy Schoenly, Miss Marjorie Schoenly, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gaugler, Mrs. Roy Hein, Mrs. Lester Oxenford, Mrs. Herbert Mathias, Miss Virginia Mathias, Mrs. Wayne Koch, Mrs. Willard Koch and daughter, Bernice.  
And Mrs. Lewis Slemmer, Miss Jeanette Koch, Miss Grace Kulp, Mrs. Harold Yoder, Mrs. Earl Yoder, Miss Marion Mathias, Mrs. John Stauffer, Mrs. Henry Moser, Miss Jeanette Moser, Mrs. Robert Mathias, Miss Nancy Mathias, Mrs. Charles Metzler, Mrs. Paul Gehman.  
Also Mrs. Daniel Hoffman and daughters, Patricia and Kay; Mrs. Kenneth Stauffer, Mrs. Elwood Seasholtz, Mrs. Stanley Yoder, Mrs. Royal Hoffman, Mr. LeRoy Mathias, Mrs. Willard Schoenly and Mr. Paul Schoenly.

**Anniversary Party Plans Made by Brownie Troop**  
Rehearsals for a play they will present at their birthday anniversary party Wednesday night were continued Saturday afternoon at a meeting of Brownie Scout Troop 23 of First Presbyterian church, in the church.  
The play, "Princess Nina's Birthday," will be given at the troop's covered dish supper, to be held in honor of the troop birthday anniversary Wednesday night at 6:30 o'clock in the church.  
Also, the girls made table favors during the meeting, under the direction of leaders, Mrs. Mary Keller, Mrs. Helen Spangenberg and Mrs. Doris Maimone.  
Present were: Judy Berman, Jane Creswell, Shirley Graham, Bonnie and Jeannette Christman, Sally Clapp, Diane Kendig, Barbara Lord, Jeanne and Miriam Marcy, Linda McCabe, Peggy Missimer, Annette and Kathryn Senenig, Lynda Smale, Karen Stauffer, Susan Whisler.  
And, visitors, Mary and Grace Rowland, Sandra Flickinger, Betsy Ruffin, Barbara Berger and Jane Whisler.

**Friends Are Entertained At William Boalton Home**  
A day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Boalton, Mervine Road, was enjoyed by a group of their friends recently.  
Highlight of the outing was a hay ride.  
Attending were: Mrs. Jacob Ludwig, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ludwig, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shomo, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reider, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bush, Daniel Lee Reightmouer, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seyler, Mrs. Lewis Beuley, Mrs. Annie Carl, Judith Decker, Ruth Griesemer, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schweitzer, Carol Schweitzer, Alan Schweitzer, Paullette Percooca, Mrs. Laura Sassaman and Susan and Sandra Crook.

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# Woman's Page

## CLUB NEWS

### YOUR BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES

**TODAY'S HOROSCOPE**  
THE stars say this is a good time for correspondence and romance. However, don't wear your heart on your sleeve. Unexpected good fortune and great happiness may be in store for you in the months ahead. Born under these influences, a child is likely to develop a fondness for poetry, art and music.

**Today**  
George Henry, 116 King street.  
James Law, 700 Logan street.

Mrs. Victoria Speith, 732 Walnut street.  
Mrs. Russell Reichman, 359 Jefferson avenue.

Fay Warner, 8 East Third street.  
Frank P. Saul Douglassville.

Walter J. Smith, 552 High street.  
Howard E. Steffy, 301 1/2 Chestnut street.

H. W. Craig, 370 North York street.  
David R. Krause, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Krause, 551 Lincoln avenue.

Eleanor Mock, daughter of Mrs. Earl Mock, 1 Diamond court.  
Bernice Egolf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Egolf, 664 West High street, Stowe.

Jenny F. Knauer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Knauer, Pottstown RD 2.  
Helene Patten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Patten, Pottstown RD 3.

Donald Mehlman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Mehlman, Pottstown RD 4, aged one year.  
Kathleen June Hoffman, daughter of Mrs. Josephine Hoffman, 452 Lincoln avenue, aged eight years.

**Compton-Jones Betrothal Revealed in Harrisburg**  
Mrs. Eleanor W. Compton, Harrisburg, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Joan Elaine Compton, to Mr. Paul Marshall Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Jones, 266 North Hanover street.

Miss Compton will be graduated from Ursinus college, Collegeville, with the class of 1953. She is a Junior majoring in physical education. She was captain of the college swimming team this past season.

Mr. Jones will be graduated from the same college today. He majored in history and business administration, and was captain of the tennis squad this year.

No wedding date has been set. Usually the minister and his wife are sent an engraved invitation to the reception at the time all invitations are mailed. However, if there is hesitancy in not wishing to obligate the clergyman's family for a wedding gift, an informal invitation may be issued by word of mouth to the minister and his wife by the bride's mother or by the bride herself.

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Agnes Kellam, International Professional Dancer, Will appear as Guest Artist at Both Recitals.  
MR. PRICE wishes to announce Mrs. Kellam will be a member of the Teaching Staff at His Studios, both this Summer and upon Her Return From Europe in the Autumn.  
Registrations Are Now Being Taken for Both Summer and Autumn Classes  
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# Stubanas-Ladjanski Vows Spoken In Catholic Church

The Rev. John Naja, rector of St. Peter's Catholic church, officiated Saturday at a double ring wedding ceremony performed in his church to unite Miss Ann Ladjanski and Mr. Donald Eugene Stubanas in marriage.

Miss Ladjanski is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ladjanski, 60 South Evans street, and Mr. Stubanas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stubanas, reside at 231 Marshall street, Phoenixville.

A large bouquet of white gladioli decorated the altar when Miss Ladjanski, escorted by her father, came down the white-carpeted aisle.

As her wedding costume the bride chose a gown of pearl white satin under Chantilly lace. Pearls encrusted the high neckline of the lace bodice, and the gown had long, wrist-pointed sleeves.

The lace was used in a scalloped overskirt, and in the cathedral length train. With her gown Miss Ladjanski wore a chapel length veil secured to a coronet studded with pearl and rhinestone encrusted orange blossoms. Her flowers were a fan-shaped bouquet of white carnations centered with an orchid.

BRIDAL ATTENDANTS were Miss June Dindino, maid of honor, and Mrs. Mary Benedetto, sister of the bride, and Miss Patricia Gaugler, bridesmaids. Miss Dindino wore a lime green gown of lace and nylon tulle with a shirred strapless bodice and a draped stole of rosepoint Chantilly lace. The bouffant skirt was of nylon tulle. She wore a crown of ivy leaves and lilies-of-the-valley, and carried a fan bouquet of white carnations with lime green streamers.

The bridesmaids wore gowns identical to that of the maid of honor, in pale orchid, and carried fan bouquets of carnations with orchid streamers.

Flower girls were Dollie Pinkos and Rosemary Banyai, both nieces of the bride. They wore dresses of white organdy over lime green and pale orchid, with Peter Pan collars and full skirts adorned with Alencon lace trimmed flounces. The flower girls wore headresses styled as those of the bridesmaids, and carried miniature fan bouquets of carnations with streamers to match their gowns.

MR. ANDREW Kopystecki was best man for Mr. Stubanas, and the wedding was ushered by Mr. Anthony Banyai and Mr. Paul Ladjanski, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Ladjanski and Mrs. Stubanas both wore navy blue dresses with matching accessories and corsages of orchids.

A reception was held at 6 o'clock in the evening at St. Peter's hall for guests attending from Phoenixville, Reading, Philadelphia, Coatesville, New York, New Jersey and the local area.

After their reception Mr. and Mrs. Stubanas left for a week-long trip to Niagara Falls. For traveling Mrs. Stubanas chose a white linen suit with navy blue accessories and an orchid corsage. Upon their return they will reside at 247 Washington avenue, Phoenixville.

**Marriage Licenses**  
Application for marriage license was made at Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by: Kenneth P. Grebe, Schwenksville, and Elizabeth C. Mohn, Pottstown RD 4.  
Application for marriage licenses were made at Berks county courthouse, Reading, by: George V. Long, Pottstown, and Erika Setzkorn, West Reading. Kenneth L. Graul, Birdsboro, and Nancy L. Kochel, Birdsboro RD 2.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rogers, Pottstown RD 4, announce the birth of a son late the past Friday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bryan, Douglassville RD 2, became the parents of a daughter late Friday in Pottstown hospital.

Late Friday night a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Romig in Pottstown hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Scheffey, Graterford, Saturday in Pottstown hospital.

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. Van Fisher, 1019 Schuylkill road, Kenilworth, on the birth of a daughter Saturday in Pottstown hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartensline, Pottstown RD 2, Saturday in Pottstown hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester

Keith, Boyertown RD 2, was born a son Saturday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vukovich, Schwenksville, announce the birth of a daughter Saturday in Pottstown hospital.

Yesterday a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Jacobs, 649 Summit Lane, in Pottstown hospital.

To Mr and Mrs. Charles Weller, 37 East Fifth street, was born a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Longacre, Philadelphia, announce the birth on Saturday of a daughter, Christine Ann, in Philadelphia Osteopathic hospital. Mrs. Longacre is the former Gloria Rhoads, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Rhoads, 256 King street.

A daughter was born to S Sgt. and Mrs. Earl N. Kline in Mesa South Side hospital, Mesa, Ariz., recently. Mrs. Kline is the former Miss Janice Harmut, Douglassville.

Colorful Suit



Red Cross Meeting To Feature Talk by Dr. W. T. Lineberry

Dr. William T. Lineberry, Philadelphia, will be guest speaker at the annual meeting of the Northern Branch South Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of American Red Cross Wednesday, June 11, at 6:30 o'clock in Brookside Country club.

The guest speaker is a retired rear admiral, United States Navy. He was recently appointed director of the blood program for the Southeastern Pennsylvania chapter of Red Cross.

His military record date, back to 1917. He was commanding officer of the U. S. Naval hospital on Guam when that island was taken by the Japanese in World War II. He was captured and held prisoner by the Japanese for 45 months.

To Speak Here



DR. WILLIAM T. LINEBERRY

John Copenhafer Feted On Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. John Copenhafer, 628 Spruce street, entertained at an open house surprise party recently in honor of her husband's 65th birthday anniversary.

A buffet luncheon was served at the home of a daughter, Mrs. La-monde DeKalb, 621 Spruce street, after which the guests assembled in the Copenhafer home where dessert was served. A large birthday cake centered the table.

Gifts were received from the following guests:

Mrs. Salome Frederick, Mrs. Barbara Gottshall, Souderton; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Copenhafer and daughter, Mildred, Norristown; and Mrs. Raymond Spaid, Schwenksville RD; Mr. and Mrs. David Gottshall and son, Robert, North Wales; Mrs. Clarence Kline, Mrs. Octavia Landis, Mr. and Mrs. William Carnahan and daughter Linda; Mr. and Mrs. William Wilde and children, William, Mary and Elaine; Mr. and Mrs. DeKalb and daughter Fay, and Mrs. Merrill Kline and sons, Dennis and Alan.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Anna Weis, 477 North Evans street, has been admitted as a medical patient at Reading hospital.

Pfc. John Hallman, stationed with the U. S. Army at Camp Rucker, Ala., is spending a two-week furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Clara Hallman.

Lorraine Roberts Honored At Sixth Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Roberts, St. Mary's gave a party at their home yesterday to honor their daughter, Lorraine Roberts, on her sixth birthday anniversary.

White and pink decorations were used for the party table, which was centered with a large cake.

After the party luncheon the guests played games and presented gifts to the guest of honor.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garber, Mr. and Mrs. William Hummelreich and daughters Carol Ann and Diane; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roberts and son, Ronald; Mrs. Minnie Mohr and daughters, Wilma and Marion; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Spohn and daughters, Mary Jo and Susan Jane.

And, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vroman and children, Paul, Thomas and Sandy; Mrs. Frank Babel and daughter, Patty; Lois Roberts and Ruth Roberts.

Intimate Ceremony Unites Miss Shaner, Mr. Robert L. Fry

A double ring ceremony performed Saturday in the home of Justice of the Peace Amelia R. Klink united in marriage Miss Mildred Shaner and Mr. Robert L. Fry.

Miss Shaner is the daughter of Mr. Frank Shaner, 232 South street and Mrs. Anna Hamilton, Birdsboro RD 1. Mr. Fry is the son of Mr. Arthur Fry, Montgomery House, Pottstown, and Mrs. Arthur Fry, 363 Laurel street.

For her wedding, which was performed by the Justice of the Peace, Miss Shaner wore a tan checked suit with white accessories and a corsage of white gardenias and pink rose buds.

Her only attendant, Mrs. Daniel Shaner, a sister-in-law, was attired in a tan suit with blue accessories and a corsage of pink rose buds and gardenias.

Best man for Mr. Fry was Mr. Daniel Shaner, brother of the bride.

Among the witnesses was the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Fry, who wore a green and white print dress with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Miss Esther Mae Brille, Charles A. Mest Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brille, Royersford RD 1, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Esther Mae Brille to Mr. Charles Alvin Mest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Justice of the Peace Henry Mest, Pottstown RD 4.

Miss Brille, a student at Royersford High school, is employed at the Spring City diner. Her fiancé attended Lower Pottersrove High school and is an employee of the Birdsboro RD 1. Mr. Fry is the son of Mr. Arthur Fry, Montgomery House, Pottstown, and Mrs. Arthur Fry, 363 Laurel street.

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HOSPITALS

**MEMORIAL**

Admitted: Mrs. Natalie Zagorski, Swedesboro, surgical; Linda Selag, 509 High street, surgical; Joseph Somics, Spring City RD 1, medical; Martin Clark, 448 High street, medical; Mrs. Irene Glenn, Pottstown RD 4, surgical; Louis Fredman, 2 East Fifth street, surgical; Mrs. Theresa Delberts, 229 Howard street, Stowe, medical; Kenneth Leister, 226 South York street, surgical, Winfield Atkinson, 443 Main street, Royersford, medical; Mrs. Cora Wensel, Pottstown RD 1, surgical, and William Fizz, Pottstown RD 4, medical.

Discharged: Mrs. Verna Rupert, Douglassville, surgical; Mrs. Anna Bove, Pottstown RD 4, medical; Mrs. Esther Heller, 265 Beech street, surgical; Mrs. Nancy Hums, Boyertown RD 2, surgical; Mrs. Annie Jacobson, 501 High street, medical; Harold B. Keim, 32 Beech street, surgical; Linda Selag, 509 High street, surgical; Joseph Somics, Spring City RD 1, medical; Mrs. Jeanne Wilson, Reading, surgical, and Mrs. Hannah Zern, Lions Station, surgical.

Junior High PTA Festival Held on School Grounds

Members of the Parent-Teacher association of Pottstown Junior High school classed the festival they sponsored recently as a success.

General chairman and co-chairman of the affair, which was held on the school grounds, were Mrs. Jonathan Smoyer and Mrs. William Hurter.

Members who aided at the various booths and concessions were: Mrs. Charles Rohland, cake table; Mrs. Carl Keller, novelties; Mrs. David Stevenson, coffee; Mr. and Mrs. William Hartman, hot dogs; Mrs. Walton Merkle, barbeques; Mr. Bert Shaw and Mr. Spencer Lessie and Mrs. Rohland, soft drinks; Mr. Jonathan Smoyer, Mr. William Hurter, Mr. Jack Eckstrom, and Mr. Joseph Hunsicker ice cream.

Mrs. Bert Shaw, Mrs. Thomas Miller, candy; Mrs. Charles Weaver and Miss Margaret Gunning, handcrafts; Mrs. William Wiand, Mrs. William Hampton, Mrs. Joseph Hunsicker and Mrs. Mary Grofe, kitchen.

Music throughout the evening was furnished by the Junior High band.

Social Calendar

Ladies' auxiliary of Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen—Meeting tonight at the home of Mrs. Mary Quinter, 322 Cherry street.

Business Girls' club of YWCA—Closing dinner tonight at 6:30 o'clock at Clover Leaf restaurant.

Golden Age club—Meeting today at 2 o'clock in the YWCA.

Lady Orioles—Degree team meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the Orioles' home.

Girl Scout Leaders' club—Meeting and cookout tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the YWCA.

Ladies' auxiliary of Father Bally council, Knights of Columbus—Meeting and installation of officers tonight at 8 o'clock in the Kulp building.

Junior auxiliary of Pottstown hospital—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Nurses' home.

Navy Mothers' club—Social tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lydia Kinckiner, Hanover Heights.

That hardy happy perennial, navy flashed with white, again tells the Spring fashion story.

This version concerns itself with a suit that comes complete with its own blouse as an integral part of the design.

Paul Parnes does this nicely in navy sheer worsted worked into a three-piece bolero costume, but with red silk shantung taffeta for one of the pieces, the blouse. This has a low scooped neckline front and back and buttons onto the gored skirt. The crisp bolero is lined in red to match. The collar extends down to form a facing inside the jacket and the cuffs are of white linen. Three cheers for this sartorial version of red, white and blue.

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Robert Yorgey Is Feted On Birthday Anniversary

A party in honor of his second birthday anniversary was given for Robert Henry Yorgey by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yorgey, 43 West Fourth street, Saturday afternoon.

Eighteen friends and playmates sang "Happy Birthday" to Robert as they gathered around the table which was centered with a large birthday cake.

After the opening of the gifts refreshments were served to the following:

Thomas Bicer, William Ashworth, Daniel Smith, Kay Baker, Joseph Chrusch, Patty Ann Leightcap, Robert Ashworth, James Hatalosky, Larry and James Harp, Phyllis Walent, Judy Ashworth, Marjorie Vogt, Garry Kass, Roger Bechtel, Kandy Kiss, Dennis Lazensky, Fred Hull and Lloyd Eagle.

Also Mrs. Donald Ashworth, Mrs. William Ashworth, Mrs. Bernard Lazensky, Mrs. James Hatalosky, Mrs. Pat Leightcap, Mrs. Beulah Kaas, Mrs. Joseph Chrusch, Mrs. Agnes Bicer, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nettles and Miss Sue Hatalosky.

Rev. Dr. Krouse Performs Baptisms for Two Infants

The Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran church, performed baptismal services in his church yesterday for Patricia Diane Studley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Studley Jr., 517 North Franklin street, and Larry Daniel Barto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Barto, 323 South Hanover street, South Pottstown.

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**New Dial Telephone System Will Begin Tomorrow Morning; Central Office at Bally**  
Tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock, the new dial telephone central office of the Conestoga Telephone and Telegraph company, located in Bally, will be put into operation and the 610 telephone subscribers served by that exchange will begin using their new dial telephones.  
The dial switching equipment is located in a new one-story brick building erected at the corner of Church and Walnut streets, Bally, not far from the present exchange.  
The new system will replace the old magneto type of telephone which has been in use in the area since the establishment of the Old Mountain Telephone company which operated the exchange for 40 years until it was sold to the Conestoga company about five years ago.  
All subscribers' telephone numbers have been replaced by a modern self-contained telephone set. All of the telephone numbers also have been changed and now consist of five digits with a prefix of "five" followed by four numbers.  
ALL CALLS to nearby Boyertown and Sassamansville exchanges are made by dialing the called number while calls to other nearby towns are reached by dialing "O" (for operator). Other toll calls and long distance calls are made by dialing "110" which is the code for the Pottstown toll center.  
The area served by the Bally central office comprises not only Bally but also Eshbach, Barto, Clayton, Niantic, Forge Dale, Sieholtville and Huffs church. The new office is tied in with the nationwide toll-dialing plan of the Bell Telephone system.  
The erection and installation of the new system represents an investment by the telephone company of over \$100,000 and completes the installation of dial telephones in lower Berks county.

**School's Yearbook Is Distributed To Subscribers, Patrons**  
"The Bear," 1952 Boyertown High school yearbook, has been distributed to its subscribers and patrons.  
The cover of the book was designed by George Haddad, a member of this year's graduating class.  
The inside cover of the book shows diagrams of the educational intentions of the graduating class. The occupational intentions, follow-up data of graduates, occupational status of their parents, "student fever", chart of activities and education of parents.  
On the chart of educational intentions it shows that 63 percent will not continue with further education; 15.9 percent will go to college; 10 percent are undecided about further education; 9.1 percent will attend technical institutes; and two percent will continue education but are undecided on the type.  
THIS YEAR'S dedication on page three of the yearbook is in honor of Harvey D. Ritter who served 18 years on the school board, serving Mrs. Rodman Leister, Mrs. Betty for 12 years as president. The dedication compliments him on his hard and efficient work and the many changes and improvements he has helped bring about.  
The book includes countless numbers of pictures of the school activities, various Senior activities, sports of all types, news and pictures on the school newspaper, clubs, music and many other phases of school work.  
Editor in chief of the yearbook was George Haddad. It had a literary staff of John Mercer, editor; Thelma R. Reitnauer, Virginia Latshaw, Audrey Borneman, Margot Abrams, Ruth Ann Erb, Daniel Unger, Virginia Bickel, Eva Reitnauer, Janet Moatz, Nancy May Coates, Carol Ann Shelly, Martha Rothenberger, Carol Ann Bechtel, Carol Ann Schweinhart, Kathryn Hare, Lee Moyer, Robert Erb, Vincent Taggart, Miriam Fisher.  
The business staff included: Bertha Geiger, manager; Gloria Rothenberger, Shirley F. Heydt, Nancy Kriebel, Loretta Milczanowski, Janet Reigner, Jesse Rothenberger, Charles Haddad, Louise Ann Sullivan; photography, George Wells, editor; David Hollowbush, Kervin Boyer, Gerald Zerr and Dennis Kolb.  
The faculty advisors were Harry I. Gilbert, Mrs. Margaret S. Hanley, Miss Luella C. Hoch and Mrs. Marion B. Harvey.

**Boyertown Classified**  
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We wish to thank relatives, neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness shown, for sympathy extended and for the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of Ida R. Gabel. The FAMILY.  
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**FINAL ACTIVITY IS STARTING FOR SENIOR CLASS**

**Jacob Longacre Gives Baccalaureate Sermon To 100 School Grads**  
The final week of school activity for more than 100 Seniors of the Boyertown High school began last night when they attended and heard a baccalaureate sermon by Jacob A. Longacre, student assistant of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church. The service was held in the Church of Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed.  
The seniors of Boyertown High school last night were told by the Rev. Longacre to pursue the Kingdom of God. He spoke on the theme, "What Seek Ye?"  
He asked the class two questions, what is this kingdom of God? and how do we find it?  
The young pastor emphasized three guide posts that will seek out the Kingdom: the Bible, the church, growth in personal faith and the voice of communion.  
FOLLOWING THE organ prelude the class proceeded to the front of the crowded church. Approximately 625 relatives and friends gathered for the baccalaureate.  
The processional hymn "Jesus Calls Us" preceded the call to worship. The Rev. Harper L. Schneck, pastor of Good Shepherd church, pronounced the invocation.  
The Scripture, I Kings, 3:5-13, was read by the Rev. Donald T. Repsher, pastor of Zion's Evangelical United Brethren church, New Berlinville.  
After a prayer by the Rev. H. I. Carmichael, pastor of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church, Boyertown, the Senior choir of Good Shepherd church sang, "Laudeus Te."  
The offering was followed by the class, choir and congregation singing "Christ of the Upward Way."

**Miss Babb Is Given Surprise Shower**

A surprise bridal shower was held for Miss June Babb, Hassenback, at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin G. Babb, Warwick street. Miss Babb will become the bride of Robert Reubendall, Parkerford, on July 5.  
The room was gayly decorated with yellow and white streamers leading from an umbrella to the various gifts. Gracing the center of the table was a huge yellow and white cake.  
Following the opening of the gifts by the guest of honor, a light lunch and refreshments were served.  
Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rothenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bartman and children, Rosie, Marie and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Rodman Leister, Mrs. Betty Warren; Mrs. Norman Lorish, Mrs. Estella Wellington, Mrs. Elizabeth Giles, Mrs. Helen Babb, also, Melvin Babb, Janet Seigfried, Marvin Johnson, Shirley Heydt, Paul Babb, Lillian Schaefer, Curtis Babb, Elwood Johnson, Chirlin Johnson, William Swavely, John Babb, Robert Reubendall, the honored guest and the hostess, Mrs. Babb.

**Rev. Longacre's Fall Results in Fracture**

The Rev. David F. Longacre, 115 North Reading avenue, who fell from a 10-foot step ladder on Wednesday morning while trimming a maple tree at the front of the parsonage, has suffered a fractured vertebra, according to X-rays taken on Saturday at the Reading hospital.  
The Rev. Longacre, who is pastor of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, at first thought he had suffered nothing more than a sprained back. He continued his duties and even participated in Memorial Day services conducted on Friday morning in the borough.  
As the pain seemed to grow more severe, it was decided upon an X-ray which showed the fracture. He is now resting in the hospital and doctors will make a further study of the fracture today.

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**50 Years Wedded Life Observed by Welders**

The 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Milford S. Welder, 401 East Fourth street, which was observed recently, was celebrated yesterday with a dinner at the Swamp hotel tendered the couple by their children.  
A huge three-tier cake graced the table and the couple received many gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moser and daughter, Arlene, also sent the couple 50 rosebuds.  
Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Welder, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Welder and daughter, Arlene; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis M. Welder and son, Richard; Mr. and Mrs. William G. Gere and son, Billy; Mrs. Edna E. Bartman, Marvin Swavely, Mrs. Curtis L. Bartman, Miss Dorothy Moyer, Melvin C. Bartman and the honored couple.

**DEATHS—FUNERALS**

**Services for IDA R. (MATHIAS) GABEL**, wife of William G. Gabel, BECHTELSTVILLE, were held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 111 North Reading avenue, Boyertown.  
The Rev. William H. Solly, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, Bechtelsville, officiated.  
Interment was made in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown.  
Bearers were Walter Gabel, LeRoy Gabel, Russell Gabel, George Zimmerman, Lester Bauer and Chester Bauer.

**Legion Team to Play Practice Game Tonight**

The local American Legion baseball team will play a practice game with the East Greenville nine to night at 6:30 o'clock on the High school athletic field.  
Joe Stitzel, manager, has requested all players to report at 5:30 o'clock sharp for a pre-game drill.  
Stitzel announced that he will carry 18 players on the team and thus far has selected 15. He will select three more during the week.

**Prober Will Attack TV Crime Shows**

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—Rep. Gathings (D-Ark) will open a congressional investigation of television programs Tuesday with an attack on portrayals of crime, he said today.  
Gathings, author of the resolution ordering the probe, will be the first witness before a House Commerce subcommittee headed by Rep. Harris (D-Ark) at Tuesday's hearing.  
Other congressmen and representatives of civic groups are due to testify before initial hearings which end Thursday.

"America's Road to Freedom" with the five honor students, Thelma R. Reitnauer, Virginia M. Latshaw, Gerald Weiss, Norma C. Hedrick and Robert F. Erb, to speak.  
A prelude of music will begin at 7:45 o'clock by the high school orchestra under the direction of Gerald R. Grabert.  
During the evening, the Senior chorus with Miss Ida M. Reinert directing, will sing three selections.

"One Step at a Time, but Always Forward" is the class motto; the class colors are blue and white, and the class flower is a yellow rose

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**St. John's to Make Plans at Meeting For Annual Picnic**

All members of the various departmental picnic committees of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church are urged to attend a meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the church.  
Plans will be made for the annual Sunday school picnic to be held this Summer.

Harold Roth is general chairman of the event and will have the following departmental committees serving with him: Nursery, Mrs. Russell Croll, Mrs. Willard Trethewey, Mrs. Fred Shadell, Mrs. Warren Shaner, Mrs. Lester N. Dierolf, beginners, Mrs. Edwin J. Eisenhart, Mrs. Herbert F. Steltz, Mrs. Linwood Renninger, Miss Shirley Gift, Mrs. Curtis A. Weller, Mrs. Walton Rhoads.  
Also, primary, Mrs. Elsie Gotwals, Mrs. Elmer Zerr, Mrs. Jesse Schanely, Mrs. Raymond Searfoss, Mrs. Norman Johnson, Mrs. Arthur Hunsberger, Mrs. Samuel Horn, Main department, Roth, Gordon P. Rose, Mrs. Henry R. Carichner, Richard Weller, Mrs. Merrill L. Schweinhart, Betty Knauer, Betty Mohn, Mrs. Roland R. Leister, Affie Haddad, Mrs. Daniel Landis, Mrs. LeRoy Schultz, Glenn Bohn.

ALSO, YOUNG Peoples Bible class, Thelma Haddad, Jean Frain, Helen Merkel, Howard Schanely Jr., John Mercer; Adult Bible class, Henry G. Werstler, James Y. Bechtel, Edwin J. Eisenhart, Robert Chittick, Titus L. Johnson, Mrs. Kerlin Moyer, LeRoy Erb, Mrs. James Conrad, Mrs. Effenger M. Erb, Mrs. Alvin M. Sterner, Mrs. Lawrence Wright, Mrs. James G. Bechtel, Irvin G. Eisenhart, Harry M. Mellinger, Howard A. G. Miller.  
Members of the Parents' class picnic committee are Mrs. Linwood W. Ott, Mrs. William Stabanus, Mrs. Frances D. Sell and Henry R. Carichner.

**ELVERSON**

Mrs. Crus Deats, Correspondent, Phone Morcantown 6-4787, Henry Hartz, Del.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Minnich were weekend guests of Jean Ward, Carteret, N. J.  
Mrs. Howard Oswald and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sigman visited at the Mr. and Mrs. Howard Oswald Jr., Fleetwood.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Schoeffel of Upper Darby were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Buchanan.  
Ethel Hemming of Philadelphia is spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Cora Hemming.  
Betty Sheeler and Brower Ellis were visitors to Philadelphia.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weidner, attended a banquet of the Green Valley Grocers association, Philadelphia.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Plank of Birdsboro called on Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts.  
Mrs. Smith Geiger and daughter, Anita, were visitors to Reading.  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Minnich visited relatives in Columbia.

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**Senators Seek Recess, Put Pep Into Campaign**

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—Senate leaders hope to get up steam this week behind a drive aimed at adjournment of the 1952 Congress session five weeks from now.

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Democratic leader McFarland, of Arizona, failed the past Thursday to get an agreement to vote on the controversial economic controls bill tomorrow or Tuesday, so he scheduled several other measures for those two days.

**BAN IS CLAIMED**

BUENOS AIRES, June 1 (AP)—The newspapers Democracia and El Mundo claimed today that a book written by Mrs. Eva Peron "cannot be published in the United States because of a ban emanating from the White house."

**Merritt's Is Offering Outdoor Furniture**

Much can be done to add to the overall picture of the house beautiful with the many new pieces of outdoor furniture now featured at Merritt's.  
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In addition, Merritt's is displaying a splendid line of sturdy California redwood furniture for your outdoor enjoyment, highlighted by table and bench sets for your garden picnics and barbecues.  
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# Brooks on Top as Giants Fade

## Red Sox Dump Chicago, Trail Tribe by Game

—NATIONAL—  
CHICAGO, June 1 (AP)—Gil Hodges' two-run homer during a three-run burst in the second inning and Joe Black's air-tight relief pitching in the final two frames today gave the Brooklyn Dodgers a 3-2 decision over the Chicago Cubs.

The third-place Cubs, held to a two-run homer by Hodges, who knocked the 200-pound righthander from the mound with a pair of runs in the eighth.

Dee Fondy, who singled for the Cubs' second hit off Wade and Hal Jeffcoat who singled, raced home on Manager Phil Cavaretta's triple, his first hit in five pinnets tries this season. Cavaretta was abandoned on third, however, when rookie Black went in and retired the side by striking out Eddie Miksis.

Wade, credited with his fourth victory against two defeats, faced only 22 batters until the eighth, fanned seven and walked one.

Brooklyn

AB	H	O	A	AB	H	O	A
Reese	3	0	1	Miksis	3	0	2
Morgan	3	0	1	Ram	3	0	2
Sauer	3	0	1	Black	3	0	1
Robinson	3	0	1	Sauer	3	0	1
Pafo	3	0	1	Atwell	3	0	1
Hodges	3	0	1	Fondy	3	0	1
Furillo	3	0	1	Seena	3	0	1
Walker	3	0	1	Jeffcoat	3	0	1
Wade	3	0	1	Kippist	3	0	1
Black	3	0	1	Hacker	3	0	1

Totals 33 7 10 10 Totals 32 5 11 12  
a—Tapped for Hacker in 8th.

—AMERICAN—  
BOSTON, June 1 (AP)—Ellis Kinder, veteran Boston Red Sox right-hander, gained his 18th straight triumph over Chicago today 3-2, with the help of Fred Hatfield's first home run of the season.

Kinder had relieved starter Bill Henry in the top of the seventh inning when the rookie southpaw raised a blister on his pitching hand. The 37-year-oldster faced eight White Sox and gave but one hit and no runs to be credited with the victory, his 20th in 23 decisions against Chicago.

Hatfield's homer came in the last half of the seventh off Saul Rogovin, the first homer yielded by the Chicago righthander this year. The game was played in a steady drizzle.

Chicago

AB	H	O	A	AB	H	O	A
Carroll	3	0	1	Dunlap	3	0	1
Stewart	3	0	1	Goodman	3	0	1
Fox	3	0	1	Lenhart	3	0	1
Munro	3	0	1	Stephens	3	0	1
Robinson	3	0	1	Drops	3	0	1
Miele	3	0	1	Ward	3	0	1

Totals 31 6 11 11 Totals 30 7 12 5  
a—Lined out for Rogovin in 9th.  
b—Fled out for Carraquel in 9th.  
c—Allowed first base in 2nd on Lollar's interference.

Good performances when they were needed by Boston's Ellis Kinder (left) and Pittsburgh's Ralph Kiner delivered major league wins yesterday. Kiner's relief pitching stopped Chicago, 3-2, as the Red Sox gained in the American League race; while Kiner's ninth-inning homer gave the Pirates a second game 2-1 win over Philadelphia and an even split in a twinbill.

Photo Finish  
**Kiner's Homer Gives Bucs Split With Phils**

PITTSBURGH, June 1 (AP)—A. of 1952—and by third baseman Pete Castiglione in the ninth inning of pride, Ralph Kiner, forced Philadelphia to divide a doubleheader with the Pirates today. Philadelphia won the opener 5-1 but lost the nightcap 2-1.

Homers by Kiner — his seventh

ST. LOUIS, June 1 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, helped by tight relief work by Al Brazle, took an opening game 8-7 decision from the New York Giants today, then followed with an easy 8-2 nightcap victory, dropping the Giants from the National League lead.

The second game was halted after seven and a half innings by darkness.

The double defeat marked the fourth reverse for the Giants in their last five games and put them a full game behind the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Enos Slaughter's ninth-inning homer decided the first game.

Gerald Staley had to overcome a streak of wildness to gain his ninth victory in the second game, especially in the first and fifth innings when New York picked up his runs.

Three first-inning runs on three hits and an error by Whitey Lockman put the Redbirds in front to stay. Red Schoendienst hit the homer of that game, a seventh-inning blow off Hoyt Wilhelm.

Manager Leo Durocher used 16 players, including four pitchers, in trying to avoid the first game setback.

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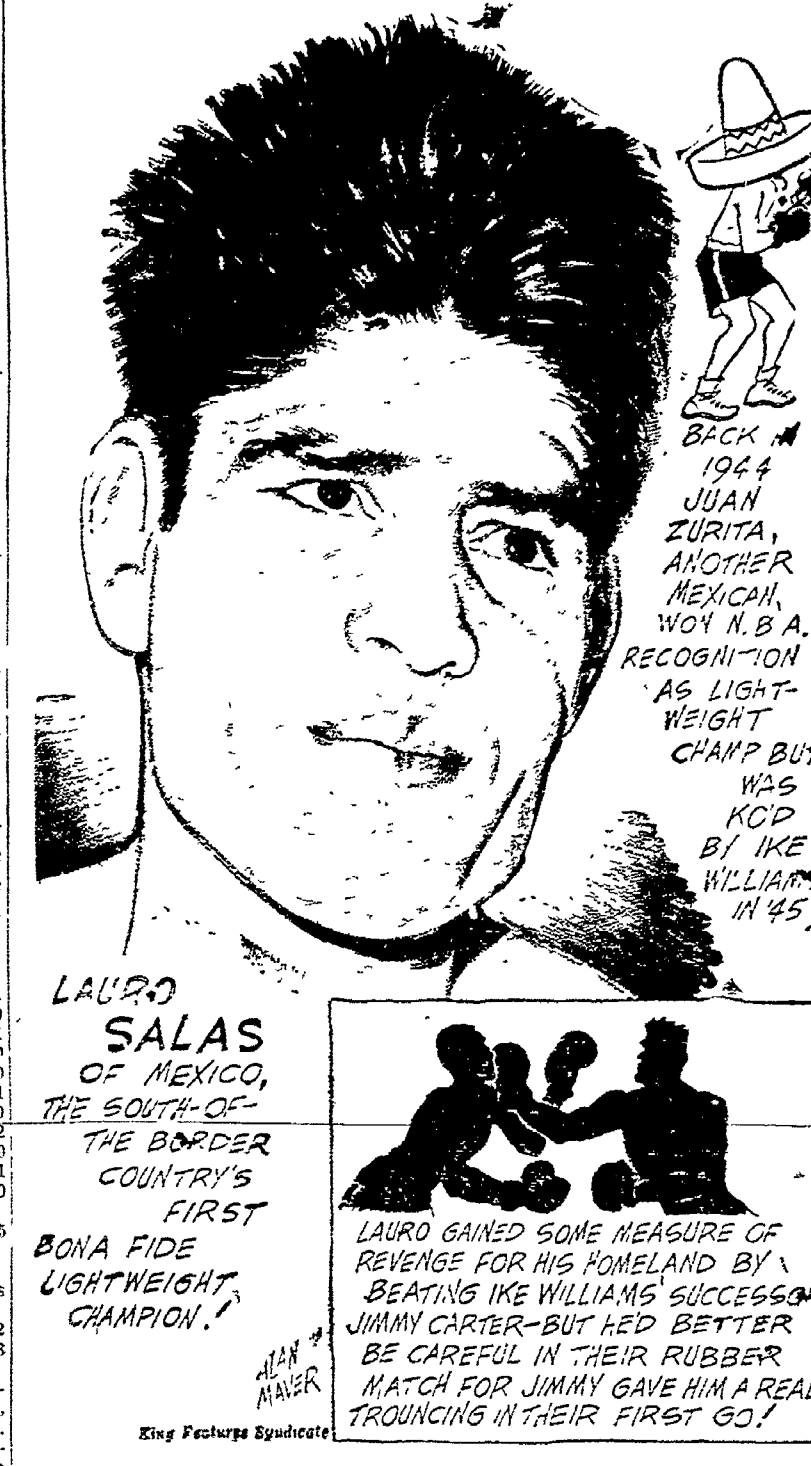
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NEW BOXING KING By Alan Mayer



Strong 'Ford Juniors Open Tonight at Home

A well-rigged Royersford Junior Legion team will fire away in its 1952 Montgomery County league opener at home against North Wales, a newcomer to the fast circuit.

The game, set for 6.15 o'clock, will be played on spacious Royersford High field.

The Ford entry figures to be the finest of recent seasons. It is ribbed with standouts from RSH's Perkomen-Schuykill Valley league championship club and padded with recruits from Norristown High, Sanatoga, Collegeville and Schwenksville.

At the helm will be Russell Sell, longtime sandlot ace of the district, and personal selection of Manager Milt Walters.

Bell has tapped righthander Ray Slawicki to open on the mound for the Ford club. Slawicki won seven games and dropped only two in guiding Royersford High to its title. He owns a blistering fastball and a good curve and was rated one of the loop's finest hitting pitchers.

Slawicki will be pitching to converted infielder Bill Dranschak, a Sanatoga and Pottstown High product who had agreed to take on catching duties. Dranschak is a long ball hitter.

Sawyer said Perkins will be on the bench in uniform, but his main duties will be off the field.

"He will be our good-will man," said the manager. "He'll be a liaison officer between the players and me. He will talk over the men's difficulties — whether they are batting slumps, illnesses, injuries or family worries. I will sit in on the sessions when necessary but will have nothing to say."

"He (Perkins) will canvas the entire club in the course of a week making suggestions here, giving advice there," Sawyer said.

The Phillies now have five coaches. Dusty Cooke, Benny Bengough, Perkins, Sylvestri, and Bob McDonnell, who also is batting practice pitcher.

Sawyer also disclosed he had replaced Cooke as first base coach with Bengough. The manager would not say if the move was permanent. Bengough coached at third base last season. Sawyer is coaching at third himself this season. The manager added that he had reinstated the check-off system to keep players in line regarding hours.

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# UAW-Stowe Tilt Tops Week's CIL Schedule

Everybody is talking about the weather these days, and they're not just making conversation. If they happen to be farmers, or City-Industrial league ballplayers, they have real gripes.

The City leaguers are faced with a baseball schedule that is stacking up ominously. Some clubs that are plagued with a limited pitching staff may find themselves in trouble as the season wears on and rainouts are nestled into Wednesday night gaps.

To date the league has seen a fourth of its 16 scheduled games called off because of the weather. The prospects are no brighter, for Franklin field was a muddy mess last night and may not be ready for early games this week.

It could mean the postponing of key games. For example, Stowe and UAW, locked in a third place tie, are ticketed to have at it tonight at 6 o'clock. Later in the week the unbeaten Elks are scheduled to meet the dangerous Amvets.

THE ISSUE apparently is squarely up to Chick Hawk's UAW if tonight's game gets off as scheduled. The Amvets were running good until they bumped into the hot Elks last week and suffered their first setback.

Meanwhile, Stowe, bolstered by its newly-signed collegians, bounced back into the race for the lead with a resounding 11-1 win over Jacobs. In that one the Stowe entry served notice that it means business.

If UAW can get by tonight's test and put down the rising Stowe team for a time, the Workers will do a service for all contenders. But Stowe must be regarded as the favorite, especially if Paul Ludy is not pitching and pitching up to par for the Workers.

UAW will have to juggle its infield again. Jack Fout apparently is going to sit out much of the season with an ankle damaged in a 10-9 win over the Merchants more than a week ago.

The steady young Worker shortstop is the third member of the title-winning UAW infield to leave the fold. Neither first baseman Willie Smith nor second sacker George Wayock reported this Spring.

Bill Harner probably will be the fulltime shortstop, while Red Kerr holds forth at second and Jim Hallman at first base.

Ben Hogan had no trouble with Pottstown golfers.

The Bantam's par 71 on the Northwood Country club course in Dallas withstood the few attacks made upon it by local golfers at Brookside Country club on National Golf Day Saturday.

Hogan was playing alone against every other golfer in the country and some of the fanciest handicaps available. Those who entered the "tournament" against him on their home courses paid an entry fee of \$1 for the privilege of trying to beat Hogan.

The money will be turned over to the USO and Professional Golfers Association.

Pro Steve Grady of Brookside said that few local swingers tried their luck and those who did were unable to cope with the soggy course.

In Friday's flag tournament at the club Bob Jeffries was the winner. He finished in the 18th cup, making his handicap of six, that went along with his gross 78, look mighty decent.

Bell's chosen picket line will show Collegeville-Trappe's High's Roland Rabuck and Keyser in right and center respectively and hard-hitting Gene Lincoln of Royersford in Left.

Behind that group Bell boasts a strong strag line. It includes infielders Mark Horner, Tony Baro and Bill Yeagle, outfielder Leroy Templeton and catcher Ted Warfield. Baro and Templeton, as well as regular Lincoln can double on the mound.

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## The SCOREBOARD

NATIONAL LEAGUE				AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Standings	W	L	PCT.	Standings	W	L	PCT.
Brooklyn	27	10	.730	Cleveland	25	17	.595
New York	27	12	.692	Boston	23	17	.575
Chicago	23	17	.575	Washington	22	18	.550
Cincinnati	20	21	.488	Chicago	22	23	.489
St. Louis	20	22	.476	St. Louis	20	24	.456
Philadelphia	18	21	.462	Philadelphia	15	19	.441
Pittsburgh	14	23	.378	Pittsburgh	13	26	.333
Baltimore	11	24	.313	Pittsburgh	11	27	.296

Yesterday's Results  
Philadelphia 3-1, Pittsburgh 1-2.  
Cincinnati 1-4, Boston 0-9.  
Brooklyn 3, Chicago 1.  
St. Louis 8-8, New York 7-2 (second, called after 7th darkness).  
Saturday's Results  
Pittsburgh 3, Philadelphia 2.  
Cincinnati at Chicago, postponed, rain.  
Only games scheduled.  
Today's Games and Probable Pitchers  
Brooklyn at Chicago—Loos (5-1) vs. Kelly (1-4).  
New York at St. Louis—(night).  
Mazie (9-0) vs. Brechen (0-4).  
Boston at Cincinnati—(night).  
Sunk (2-3) vs. Church (0-0).  
Only games scheduled.

## Junior's "Set" for Opener

The Montgomery County American Legion Junior baseball season will open for Pottstown's title-defending entry Wednesday night, whether the locals are ready or not.

Best bet is that they won't be ready. Coach Buck Rhoads' club has been plagued by rain squalls that have fallen invariably on days when the team was scheduled for exhibition combat.

Hence, without a single-drill test, under their flannels, the George A. Amole Post Boys will go to the post at Franklin field Wednesday night against Perkomen at 6:15 o'clock.

That game, if it isn't rained out, will open a busy week for the Rhoadsmen. They are scheduled to hit the road for a league test at Souderton Friday night, then move to Doylestown for a Saturday evening exhibition tangle.

RHOADS' current target, however, is the opener. Serious title defenders just don't go around losing their openers, especially when their state championship is on the line.

Happily, the coach is set on an opening lineup. He has had it in mind for nearly two (Continued on Page Twelve)

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Up Again



Charlie Grimm (above) was named the new manager of the Boston Braves replacing Tommy Holmes who was ousted. Braves General Manager John Quinn said Grimm had signed for the remainder of this season and also for the entire 1953 campaign. He added that Holmes would be retained by the Braves organization.

Back in the Majors

Grimm Hopes He's Lucky Again

CINCINNATI, June 1 (AP)—Charlie Grimm became a major league manager for the third time today and expressed hope he'd be as fortunate as he was in his first venture just 20 years ago. That was the year he succeeded Rogers Hornsby in mid-season as manager of the Chicago Cubs and led the Bruins to a National league pennant. With the 1932 season a month and a half old, Grimm stepped in today to succeed Tommy Holmes as manager of the seventh-place Boston Braves. The removal of Holmes and the appointment of Grimm, who has been managing Boston's farm club at Milwaukee

Charles Favored, 12-5

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP)—Heavyweight Champion Jersey Joe Walcott and Ezzard Charles, the ex-champion, go at each other for the fourth time Thursday night with Charles rated a 12 to 5 favorite to become the first heavyweight king ever to regain the title. It will be the first defense for the 38-year-old champion who won the crown by knocking out Ezzard with a perfect left hook to the chin in the seventh round in Pittsburgh last July 18. This time the two will battle in huge Municipal Stadium where Gene Tunney captured the prize of the Garden matches middleweight Carl (Bobo) Olson of Honolulu and Jimmy Beau of Norwalk, Conn., in a ten rounder. On Monday night, there will be a welterweight ten rounder from Eastern Parkway arena in Brooklyn featuring Bobby Dykes of Miami, Fla., and Joe Miceli, the soldier from New York. On Wednesday night, undefeated Johnny Saxton, Brooklyn welterweight, will tangle with Luther Rawlings, leading lightweight contender from Chicago, in a ten at the Chicago Stadium. CBS will broadcast and telecast the bout.

NATIONAL

(Continued From Page Eleven)

HR—Hemus, Westrum, Slaughter, S. Koslo, DP—Williams, Dark and Lockman, Werle, D. Rice and Sisler, R. Thompson, Williams and Lockman, LB—New York 9, St. Louis 6, BB—Off Koslo 4, Wilhelm 2, Mitchell 4, Werle 3, Yuhas 2, SO—Koslo 2, Wilhelm 1, Mitchell 4, Werle 1, HO—Koslo 5 in 5, Mitchell 4 in 4, Presko 1 in 2, Werle 3 in 3, Wilhelm 2 in 1, Lanier 0 in 2, Spencer 2 in 2, Yuhas 3 in 2, Brazil 0 in 1, Wild Pitch—Koslo, WP—Brazil (2-0), LP—Spencer (1-1), U—Stewart, Guglielmo, Gore, Conlon, T—3:17, A—31,000 (estimated).
Second Game
New York AB H O A St. Louis AB H O A
Willms, 2b 4 2 0 2 Hemus, ss 4 1 1 3
L'Esch, 1b 4 2 8 1 Sch'dt, 2b 4 2 3 7
R. Th's, 3b 3 0 2 1 Musial, cf 0 2 2 0
H. Th's, 4 1 2 0 Lowrey, cf 0 2 2 0
Mueller, rf 3 0 1 0 S. H. Rice, lf 4 1 4 0
Dark, ss 3 0 2 3 H. Rice, lf 4 1 4 0
Howton, cf 0 2 5 0 Sisler, 2b 4 1 0 1
Westrum, 2 1 3 0 Johnson, 3b 3 0 0 0
Adiering, 0 0 0 0 D. Rice, c 3 0 1 0
Yuhas, c 0 0 0 0 S. Staley, p 3 0 0 1
Kennedy, 1 0 1 2
Wilhelm, p 0 0 0 0
B. Wilson, 0 0 0 0
R. M. G. p 0 0 0 0
Totals 27 6 21 9 Totals 32 12 24 14

(Called after 7 1/2 innings because of darkness)

—Run for Westrum in 7th.

—Hit into force play for Wilhelm in 7th.

New York 100 000 000

St. Louis 230 001 100

R—Lockman, Westrum, Hemus, Schoendienst, Musial 2, Slaughter 2, H. Rice, Sisler, E—Lockman, R. Thompson 2, RB—B. Thompson, Lockman, H. Rice 3, Sisler 2, Johnson, Schoendienst, 2B—H. Thompson, Musial, Sisler, Johnson, 3B—H. Rice, HR—Schoendienst, S—Staley, Kennedy, DP—Hemus, Schoendienst, Sisler 2, Williams, Dark and Lockman, LB—New York 5, St. Louis 7, BB—Off Kennedy 2, Wilhelm 1, Staley 2, Sisler 2, Werle 2, Wilhelm 1, Staley 1, HO—Kennedy 8 in 4, 2-3, Wilhelm 2 in 1, 1-3, Bamberger 2 in 1, WP—Staley (9-3), LP—Kennedy (2-1), U—Guglielmo, Gore, Conlon, Stewart, T—2:15, A—32,399 (paid).

"500" Winner Gets His Spoils



Grimm and Ezzard Charles with trophies. Grinning Troy Ruttman of Lyonwood, Cal., poses with Speedway Queen Arlene Dahl of the movies, and J. C. Agajanian, Sr., of San Pedro, Cal., after winning the 1952 Memorial Day classic at Indianopolis. In addition to his winner's share of the \$200,000 in prizes, Ruttman received a resounding kiss from Queen Dahl, and the Speedway Champions' cup shown perched behind him. Agajanian's son, J. C. Jr., is the owner of the winning car.

IC4A Turns up Three Olympic Team Possibles

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP)—Three athletes came up with performances in the championships of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America that stamped them as possible members of the American Olympic team, and a half dozen others showed promise. The three who sparked were Gilbert Borjeson of Brown, hammer winner at 180 feet 1 1/2 inches; Bob Allison, Navy, who took the javelin at 225 feet 2 1/4 inches, a new meet record; and Dick Maiocco of New York University, 440 winner in 47.9 on a slow track. Manhattan, with a stout group of sprinters, won the team championship with 42 points, followed by Army 19 2/5, Cornell 17, California 16, Georgetown 14, and Brown 10. Borjeson's and Allison's performances would have been good enough to earn both second places in the 1948 Olympics. However, Sam Felton of the Navy Olympic squad has a hammer throw this season of 185-10 1/2, and Cy Young of the Los Angeles A. C. leads American javelin throwers with 236.3. Allison himself did 233-1 1/2 earlier.

Sports Trail

Martin Picks Jersey Joe Again

By WHITNEY MARTIN. NEW YORK, June 1 (AP)—Jersey Joe Walcott and Ezzard Charles meet Thursday night in Philadelphia in what might be called the battle of resolution, although some acridulous critics might suggest that the only resolution should be that they don't meet again. This will be the fourth together for the two heavyweights, with the score to date two to one in favor of Charles, who for this fight has switched roles with Old Pappy Joe and enters the ring as the challenger. You might call it the battle of resolution in that never did two battlers gird for combat with greater confidence that they would win. Judging from their respective optimism the bout should end in a double knockout, or they will "fight a tie," as a nature-boy battler we once knew described

his draw decisions. If you like comparative youth, you have to go along with Charles in this one, although the only thing youth was served in their last meeting was a blasting left hook to the chin which effectively served Ezzard from his championship. WALTOTT is one of the wonders of ring history, no mistake about that. At an age when a fighter's reflexes customarily are only a memory, when he should disintegrate at the impact of the first solid punch, and when his legs should be carrying his compact, muscular torso toward a rocking chair, he still is agile and ambitious. In fact, relying on our memory of his last fight with Ezzard we are picking him to retain his title, largely because of the

idea Ezzard also has a vivid memory of that fight. Charles was thoroughly knocked out in that one, and there is something about such a memory that haunts the recipient of such a blow. He might try to drive the thought from his mind, but it remains there, naggingly insistent. Those who like Charles in this one may be of the opinion that the knockout punch was a lucky blow, and had it not landed Ezzard would have gone on to win going away. Our memory of that fight is that Walcott was winning fairly handsily before he landed the climatic punch. THE ONE HAZARD in picking a man of Walcott's age is that you never know when he will collapse all at once, like the one hoss shay. The burly, bull-necked guy can't go on forever, and this might be the time for him to be his age.

Mangrum's 64 Wins, Sets Western Record

ST. LOUIS, June 1 (AP)—Lloyd Mangrum, setting a new competitive course record with a blistering 64 on the final round, today won his first Western Open golf championship. He had a 72-hole total of 274, six under par. Mangrum, getting his six-under-par 64, broke the 14-year-old course record held by Ralph Guldahl, who toured Westwood country club's reluctant par-70 in a 65 when the western made its first and only other appearance at the club in 1938. Mangrum was the only golfer to finish below par. Bobby Locke, his accurate drives and approach shots paying off on the last two rounds, made a brilliant recovery to finish second with a 282. To pick up the \$2400 first prize check, Mangrum carded seven birdies and went over par only once on the final round. Particularly pleasing to the dapper Chicagoan were the birdies he gained on the last two holes—two spots that had given him trouble on earlier rounds. The final 64 gave Mangrum a 68-70-72-64—274 with only the third round 72 listed above the par 70 of the 6616-yard course.

Bee Quits Job At Long Island

NEW YORK, June 1 (AP)—Clair Bee, highly successful basketball coach at Long Island university until his 1951 team was emmeshed in the college basketball "fix" scandal, resigned today as controller of the Brooklyn institution. Bee, whose basketball teams won 86 percent of their games from 1932 to 1951, took the post of controller last year after the university gave up intercollegiate basketball. He said he'd been approached "have been wonderful to me, but I don't think I'm a desk man. I want to get back into coaching." He said he'd been approached by several small colleges and had an offer to be director of athletics at an Army post, but that he wasn't sure yet what he would do. He had been coach of football, baseball and wrestling at various times in addition to basketball at LIU, and also had served as assistant to the late president of the institution, Tristram W. Metcalfe, who died last year.

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(Continued From Page Eleven) weeks, ever since a scheduled exhibition with Coplay was rained out. Whether or not he will stick with his pitching choice of Gene Clemens remains to be seen. Both holdovers Dave Reidenouer, a lefty, and Triple No-Hit Mike Krickzy are well rested since the conclusion of Pottstown High's season. It could be, however, that he will save one of them to face what looms as a tough Souderton team. The Soudertons have beaten Pottstown frequently in the last three years, although the locals have skinned through to the Montco championship each season. A big crowd is expected to greet the defending state titlists Wednesday night. In fact, it could be a genuinely gala occasion. Burgess William Griffith may be called upon to issue the first pitch of the campaign. After that, it will be up to the Juniors.

Four Teams Clash For NCAA Berth

STATE COLLEGE, June 1 (AP)—Four top college baseball teams will compete here this week for an opportunity to represent NCAA District 2 in the college "world series" at Omaha June 12. A doubleheader on Thursday will see Villanova play St. John's and Penn State tangle with Fordham. The winners will meet in the district title game Friday.

TODAY'S SPORTS

CITY LEAGUE BASEBALL Stowe vs. UAW, at Franklin field, 6 p. m. CITY SOFTBALL LEAGUE Schwabs vs. PAR, at Franklin field annex, 6:15 p. m. SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE Emmanuel vs. Cedarville, at Memorial park, 6:15 p. m. FRENCH CREEK LEAGUE St. Gabriels at Valley Forge. West End at Kimberton (WE home team). Knauertown at Spring City. (All games at 6:30 p. m.)

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# Cheers Greet Ike's Return

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—Flashing his famous smile, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower came home today and plunged into a final round of conferences which will cut his military ties and free him to take an active role in the campaign for the Republican presidential nomination.

Military pomp and ceremony dominated the return. But those who saw him watched for political significance in every move and word of the Kansas boy who sheds his uniform Tuesday. Then he heads for his home town of Abilene, Kan., for his first public address—and the open arena of politics.



GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

From the time his big silver plane landed here at 2:57 p. m., Gen. Eisenhower was caught up in a tide of events which will not reach a climax until the Republicans choose their presidential nominee next month in Chicago.

The first call he made was to the White House to receive the greetings of President Truman. The two were alone for 30 minutes and then the President called in his defense advisers presumably for an informal talk about the military situation.

BUT FOR at least some 50 minutes of the one hour and 55 minutes that they were together, the President and the general discussed no weighty matters of state. Truman was taking Eisenhower on a personally conducted tour of the renovated White House, which the general seeks to occupy.

For the most part, there were cheers and hand-shakes and backslaps for Eisenhower for a job well done in commanding the Western world's defense forces in Europe.

Whether Eisenhower's political future cropped up during the talks — none would say. President Press Secretary Joseph Short wouldn't give any details of the conference other than to say that primarily it was a report by Eisenhower as well as a "courtesy call" of a commander returned home.

At this point, Eisenhower's military status is the same as that held by Gen. Douglas MacArthur, another five-star general. He is a general on active duty—but without a command.

JUST TODAY, MacArthur came out directly for Eisenhower's major rival, Sen. Robert A. Taft, of Ohio, urging support for the Ohioan in the South Dakota primary.

One of the bouquets tossed to Eisenhower contained a hard political rock from the Taft camp.

B. Carroll Reece, manager of the Taft-for-president committee, issued a statement welcoming Eisenhower home. But then the statement added in part:

"Now that he is about to take off his battle jacket, we of the Republican party hope he will start fighting. His continued silence on the corruption, scandal and grievous foreign policy errors of the New Deal Administration raises serious doubt about his ability to conduct any kind of a campaign against the Democrats."

The general uttered not a word in public relating to politics or his candidacy for the GOP presidential nomination. He had insisted his first days at home would be confined to winding up his military affairs — and politics would have to wait until he shed his uniform.

A crowd of some 500 civilians was at the national airport when the Eisenhower plane taxied off the runway and came to a stop before the reception area.

The general stepped from the plane closely followed by his wife, Mamie, who was wearing a dark blue suit and carrying an orchid in one hand. A brief cheer rolled up from the crowd and Eisenhower smiled broadly and waved.

He helped Mrs. Eisenhower down the ramp and then began shaking hands with a receiving line of an 11-man civilian and military welcoming committee.

**500 LAID OFF**  
HARRISBURG, June 1 (AP)—The Public Assistance department disclosed today it has chopped off 500 employees off its payroll in the past year in line with decreasing relief rolls.

**LOCAL NOTICES**  
El Chico social party tonight. Special features. See Page 8.  
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## Air Power Stressed By Taft as He Takes Verbal Poke at Ike

WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—Sen. Robert A. Taft said today that the core of American foreign policy must be creation of air power strong enough to "control the air over this country, over the oceans which surround this continent, and able to deliver atom bombs on Russian cities and manufacturing plants."

The Ohioan set a triple goal of "security, peace and solvency" for the American people and asserted there is no route to that haven except through air power.

"All other policies must be incidental to that principal policy," the Ohio candidate for the Republican presidential nomination said in a nationwide broadcast over the NBC network.

Describing air power as a field in which the Truman Administration "has completely fallen down in spite of the appropriation of billions," Taft worked in a direct poke at Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, his chief rival in the GOP nomination race.

"THERE HAS been a steady deterioration in our comparative air power which began while General Eisenhower was chief of staff," Taft said.

Except for an incidental use of the general's name in a somber description of the outlook for Europe's defenses as Eisenhower arrived home to enter the political wars, Taft made only one other mention of his rival by name. That was near the end of the speech when he accused Republican opponents of attacking his position whenever he differs from Administration policy.

"They seem to be afraid that a direct attack on the Administration is an attack on General Eisenhower," Taft said.

By that comment the senator pointed up an implication that ran throughout the speech—that Eisenhower, as an active participant in the administration of recent foreign policy in Europe, would find it hard to make an all-out campaign attack on that front.

"FIRST OF all, in the Republican campaign of 1952 there must be no hesitation about attacking the foreign policy of Mr. Truman and Mr. (secretary of state) Acheson," Taft said early in the address. He hit repeatedly at the same point.

The address was billed by Taft backers as a major pronouncement on foreign policy. It was timed to get in just ahead of whatever Eisenhower may say on such subjects in his June 4 speech at Abilene, Kas., his first public appearance in civilian clothes.

Taft said at the outset that his aim was to answer the questions on his foreign policy stand which seem to be of greatest concern to Americans.

Taking up general policy first, Taft asserted that "bipartisanship" today is a fraud. When Mr. Truman talks of it he means that he will make the policy and the Republicans must always go along with it.

Foreign policy so deeply affects all phases of domestic policy that it cannot be avoided as a campaign issue, Taft said.

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**Air Rescuers Dropped**  
WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—The United States Air Force dropped a rescue team by parachute today to aid a British airliner forced down the past week at the edge of the Sahara desert with 18 persons aboard.

The four-engined plane left London on May 26 bound for Nigeria in East Africa.

**Pact Okay Seen**  
WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—The Administration appears likely to win speedy Senate approval of the peace contract with West Germany and her admission to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO).

Senator George (D-Ga.) one of the senior members of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, told a reporter that "unless there are some things or issues not yet revealed, the Senate should approve."

**Defeat Try Seen**  
WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—The Citizens Committee for the Hoover Report said today tremendous pressure will be brought to bear in

## 376 ARE KILLED AS LONG HOLIDAY APPROACHES END

Traffic Deaths Total 271 in Smashups; 54 Lose Lives by Drowning

By The Associated Press  
Good weather for highway jaunts attracted hordes of motorists to the Nation's roads Sunday and the traffic toll for the Memorial Day weekend mounted steadily. The toll from traffic, drownings and other violent accidents reached at least 376.

With 72 of the 78 official hours marking the long weekend gone, 271 deaths in automobile smashups had been reported. In addition, there were 54 drownings and 51 deaths from miscellaneous violent causes.

Highway crashes were taking an average of about 3-2/3 lives an hour.

The National Safety council had estimated that the traffic toll for the 78-hour period—from 6 p. m. (Pottstown time) Thursday to midnight Sunday would be 310. This would figure out to a slightly higher hourly casualty figure.

However with about six hours of the weekend remaining, a council spokesman said, "It looks like the figure is going to go beyond our estimate."

HE SAID the Sunday night homecoming crowd undoubtedly would account for a great number of accidents on the roads.

Ned H. Dearborn, Safety council president, appealed to motorists Sunday to be careful. He said: "Let each driver ask himself this question as he starts the trip home: 'Is my future and the future of my family worth a little extra care today?'"

**LOWEST IN U. S. YET**  
**Marriage Age Down**  
WASHINGTON, June 1 (AP)—The age at which Americans take their marriage vows—for the first time—is lower than it ever was before, the Department of Commerce said today.

For girls the median age at marriage is 20.4 years. For men, it's 22.6.

Those figures apply only to first marriages, the department noted. A median is a middle figure. That is, there are as many ages below it as above it.

The department said that in April, 1951, there were 2,100,000 divorced persons who hadn't remarried, and there were 1,700,000 who had separated from husband or wife in these United States "because of marital discord."

THOSE FIGURES on separations, incidentally, represent the first official report on the subject.

And, countering those statements that a vast percentage of American marriages go on the rocks, the department observed that for each separated or divorced person, there

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## East Germans Put On Military Show

BERLIN, June 1 (AP)—Communist-ruled East Germany paraded its armed forces today in the most militaristic display in Germany since the Hitler era as surrounded Berlin waited for the next move in the Red squeeze play.

The big show took place at Leipzig, where more than 100,000 members of the Communist Free German Youth (FDJ) climaxed their fourth annual congress with a parade for the Russian zone Communist bosses, who shook threatening fists at the West.

For a solid hour, all radio stations in East Germany broadcast the drum beats of martial music and the tramp of marching feet as President Wilhelm Pieck and other Eastern leaders took the salute from contingents of the People's Police Army and the Sea Police Navy.

Many thousands of FDJ youths—now publicly acclaimed as the "Junge Garde (young guard)"—carried small-bore rifles.

PRESIDENT PIECK told them "our best youth should go into the people's police. The others should go into the factories and produce for us the best possible weapons and equipment."

The parade was officially titled "Mass Meeting for a Peace Treaty and the Defense of the Homeland."

It was all in the name of "defense" against the aggressive intentions of the American and West German imperialists. Speaker after speaker denounced West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer for signing the pacts which have Allied West Germany to the Western world.

To the accompaniment of these war-like sounds, the Communists continued the process of sealing off East Germany from contact with the free world. For the first time, the more than two million Germans of free West Berlin were forbidden to enter the surrounding Russia zone—except in transit to or from West Germany.

Known as the father of progressive education, John Dewey, 92, died yesterday after an attack of pneumonia contracted Saturday. He succumbed at his Fifth avenue, New York apartment, where he also was recovering from a broken hip. His philosophy of education placed emphasis on the individual child rather than on the subject.

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## U. S. Soldiers Enter Koje Compound to Tear Down Banners

KOJE ISLAND, Korea, Monday, June 2 (AP)—American soldiers carrying bayonet-tipped rifles today moved inside two of the three barbed wire fences of an unruly Red prisoner of war compound. They were ordered to tear down Communist banners and repair holes chopped in the inner fence by POWs.

The GIs did not enter the compound itself. But they were separated by only a sagging single strand of wire as they worked to repair the damaged fence.

The first act of the troops, who moved into the lane between the inner and middle fences at about 8 a. m., was to reach through the barbed wire and tear down a sign. It read: "We will never take down our signs."

The GIs then moved slowly down the fence repairing small holes.

As the soldiers' work party progressed, POWs inside the compound took down more of their insulting banners. Other POWs sang and demonstrated.

There were no incidents of violence during the first hour.

Machinegunners stood at alert in watch towers around Compound 605, which is about 300 yards square.

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## World News Briefs

**India, U. S. Sign Aid**  
NEW DELHI, India, June 1 (AP)—India and the United States signed five more agreements here today for the use of 50 million dollars in U. S. aid. Eight such agreements signed thus far allocate \$44,460,000 of the total.

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BRUNSWICK, Germany, June 1 (AP)—West German frontier police said today they have received reports that a Soviet tank regiment, comprising about 50 medium

tanks—arrived yesterday in the East German town of Salzwedel, about 60 miles northeast of here.

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### Message Is Given To 51 Graduates in School Auditorium

Members of Royersford churches and their pastors joined last night in the high school auditorium for the annual baccalaureate service.

The 51 members of the graduating class of 1952 heard a message by the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, rector of Sacred Heart Catholic church, who gave the graduates a "heart-to-heart" talk.

The Rev. Earl C. Carver, pastor of the Methodist church, gave the invocation. The Rev. Franklin P. Watts, pastor of First Evangelical and Reformed church, read the Scripture lesson and offered the prayer. The Rev. Fred G. Bangs, Baptist pastor, pronounced the benediction.

Choral music was provided by members of the high school choir, who presented "God So Loved the World" and "Onward Christian Soldiers," accompanied by Joyce Miller, Janet Jones, soloist, sang "The Lord's Prayer."

THE PROCESSIONAL, recessional and accompaniment for hymns were given by Miss Alice A. Schimpf, school director of music.

Scholarships, presentations and awards totaling \$165 will be presented at the annual convocation, seated at the annual convocation, Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Junior choir rehearsal, 8 o'clock. Senior choir rehearsal, 9 o'clock. Dr. I. L. deFrancesco, vice-president of Kutztown State Teachers college, will deliver the address to the graduates.

IN HIS brief summation of advice to the class members, Father Conway admonished them to be guided by that of the Lord's Prayer, "Thy Will Be Done."

"The meaning of this tonight is a farewell from the faculty for these children who have been nourished," said Father Conway, "the faculty says farewell, the children are going away from them. They bow their heads in sincerity and say farewell."

He continued, "you and I are gathered here believing we can give them hope to shoulder what lies before them."

"If you are foolish," he asserted, "you will allow your companions your company, but if you are strong you will turn them down. If you are weak enough, a bully can break down your will."

"God only made ten commandments, man has made millions of them. If you live up to God's commandments, you will be gratified. The mistakes that are made in youth are never forgotten by the ones who made them."

**CROCODILE TEARS SHED**  
LONDON, June 1 (AP) — Pravda, editorializing today on international Children's Day, wept tears of pity for the plight of capitalist kids.

They are condemned, it said, to "privations and suffering, hunger and poverty" and the prospect of early death.

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### OBITUARIES

**ALBERT MAJOR**, widower of Mary Elva (Reid) Major, ROYERSFORD RD 1, died Saturday morning in All Saints hospital in Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, after a long illness. He was 70.

Mr. Major was a member of St. James Reformed church and Sunday school, Linfield, and a teacher of the men's Bible class at the church.

He was also a member of the Union Castle Knights of the Golden Eagle of Linfield, and a member of the Iron Moulder's Union, Royersford.

Mr. Major had served two terms as a school director of Limerick township for a total of 12 years.

Surviving him are two daughters, Mildred and Alice, both of whom live at home.

Five brothers and sisters are also surviving: Minerva, wife of Harvey Ahlum, Linfield; Irvin, Royersford RD 1; Mrs. Alice MacIntire, Royersford RD 1; Susanna, wife of William Barlow, Royersford RD 1; and Cora, wife of James MacIntire, Royersford RD 1.

Services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 21 Main street, Trappe, with the Rev. Reed Teitsworth, pastor of St. James Reformed church, officiating.

Interment will be made in St. James cemetery, Limerick.

Services for **MRS. ELIZABETH G. (GEIST) BRANT**, 79, widow of Irvin S. Brant, of READING, will be held Friday.

Hospital admissions: George W. Wagoner, Spring City; Elmer Miller Jr., and Jacob T. Bowers, Royersford.

Discharged: Mrs. Margaret Bush, Raymond Rosen, Mrs. Howard Bell, Spring City; Mrs. Paul Sheeler, Spring City RD 1.

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the Rev. Grubb was stricken ill while returning home from a business visit in Jacksonville.

A former pastor of Brownback Reformed church, the Rev. Grubb was a son of the late Isaac and Elizabeth (Keller) Grubb.

Surviving are his widow, Rachel (Parsons) Grubb; two sons: The Rev. L. Llewellyn Grubb, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; and T. Lester Grubb, Birdsboro; a daughter, Grubb, wife of William Berry, Rockaway, N. J.; three sisters: Mrs. Bessie Seidel, Reading; Mrs. Mary Painter, wife of Harry Scholl, Lansdale; both of Dover, N. J.; and six grandchildren.

Services will be conducted tomorrow at 2 p. m. from a funeral home at 404 High street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment will be made in St. Michael's cemetery, Birdsboro.

Services for **EMMA A. (GOURLEY) HAAG**, widow of David D. Haag, 35 HIGH STREET, were held yesterday afternoon from a funeral home at 112 Washington street at 2:30 o'clock.

Officiating was the Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, at 258 Beech street.

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### 7th of Nine Convicts Is Captured in Ohio

DENNISON, O., June 1 (AP)—The seventh of nine convicts who escaped from the Ohio penitentiary Friday was captured tonight in the basement of a Dennison residence. The other two are still at large.

Sheriff Paul S. Spangler said William E. Kimble, 26, gave up without a struggle when the sheriff shone a flashlight on his hiding place.

A telephone tip led Pancher and other officers to the residence of Charles Hart, where Kimble was hiding. Hart was not at home.

Services for **EMMA S. (REIT) NAUER**, wife of Elmer B. Gross, 509 WILLOW STREET, were held from a funeral home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Officiating was the Rev. Michael Schmidt, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed church.

Interment was made in Pottstown West End cemetery.

Bearers were Henry Reitnauer, Raymond Scherfel Sr., Raymond Scherfel Jr., Clarence Fox, Monroe Fox and Ernest Fox.

Services for **GERALD MAUGER**, husband of Rose Marie (Gourly) Mauger, 421 HIGH STREET, Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from a funeral home at 258 Beech street.

The Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiated.

Interment was made in Highland Memorial Park cemetery.

Bearers were Carl Yocum, David Williams, Gerald Haines, Andrew Dusko, Freeman Hafer and Brower Knaster.

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## +++ SCHOOL DAYS +++

— In Upper Pottsgrove School —

### Birdhouses Finished, Reports Are Given At Meeting of Grades 5, 6 Audubon Club

By JANICE MEEKER  
The final meeting of our Fifth and Sixth grade Audubon club was called to order by our president, Kenneth Stauffer, the past Thursday.

Clark Hughes, Stephen Pollinotz and Kenneth Stauffer finished the birdhouses for Sandra John's neighbor.

Beverly Mest and Rosemary Maylath gave reports about the Summer tanager.

From the reports we learned the Summer tanager is sometimes called the "Redbird."

Summer redbird, "smooth Redbird," and the "bee bird." Margaret Sauer and Sandra John gave reports about the redstart.

WE LEARNED from the reports that the redbird is 5 1/2 inches long. The female is grayish yellow and white. The male is a flamed color. He is also black, orange, and white, which are blended in his brilliant garb.

The other names for the redbird is "American redbird," "flycatcher," "fire tail" and "yellow-tailed warbler."

Robert Townsley and Margaret Austin gave a report about the catbird.

We learned that the catbird is 8 1/2 inches long. Both the male and female are of slate gray color on his head. Their wings and tail are black. The nest is made of dry leaves, twigs, roots, and grasses.

Ronald Neiman has finished 12 birdhouses, George Huxoll, three birdhouses; Charles Stroop, four birdhouses; David Prout, six birdhouses; and one feeder; Robert Townsley, 13 birdhouses and one feeder; Kenneth Stauffer, eight birdhouses and one feeder; Albert Boerner, four birdhouses; Charles Haring, two birdhouses; Richard Rhoads, two birdhouses.

Also, Ralph Metzger, three birdhouses; Stephen Pollinotz, 14 birdhouses and one feeder; Dorothy Clemmer, one birdhouse; Barry Rhoads, two birdhouses; Richard Rhoads, seven birdhouses, two feeders.

Also, Richard Spaya, two birdhouses; Carl Dice, two birdhouses; Joan Overholzer, three birdhouses; Clark Hughes, one birdhouse; one birdhouse has been made by Virginia Messer; Kenneth Stroop, one birdhouse.

### RED HILL

Mrs. Calvin Reed, corr. Phone Pottstown 2304, Dale Miller, del. Phone Pottstown 4673.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burkholder, Main street, and Mrs. Leslie Burkholder, Boyertown, spent a day in Pottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brendlinger and children, Karen and Janet, Third street, called on Claude Brendlinger of Frederick on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Schwenk, Main street, called on Mrs. Alverda Hagey and son, Kenneth, of Elroy.

Mrs. Thomas Van Dyke and son, Thomas, of Upper Darby, spent a week with Mrs. Van Dyke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kummer, Main street.

Esther and David Brey accompanied Mrs. William Brey to visit her husband, Pvt. William Brey at Fort Dix, N. J., on Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Krauss spent two days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Gantzhorn of Tannersville.

The Rev. H. H. Krauss and delegate, John J. Dulin, have returned from the annual convention of the Ministerium of Pennsylvania, held this year at Buck Hill Falls.

In St. Paul's Lutheran church the Rev. H. H. Krauss baptized Charles Franklin Roth, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roth, of Green Lane Rd. The parents are the sponsors. The ceremony was witnessed by the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Roth Sr. of East Greenville.

Nancy Brey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brey Sr., of Main street, is still confined to her home with illness.

### MARSH

Ora A. Slider, corr. Richard Reigner, del. Phone Pottstown 1475-J.

John Eyrich, who graduated this year from Warwick High school, has accepted a position at the Brandywine station on the Pennsylvania turnpike.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Faust and daughter, Margaret of Mont Clare, and Jean McPeck of Phoenixville, were dinner guests of Earl Slider and family yesterday.

Mrs. Marianna Johnson and daughter were Pottstown shoppers.

Mrs. Myrtle Hoffman and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Richard Linton, and family.

C. S. Slider attended a convention of the "Tall Cedars" in Atlantic City.

Willard Ink Jr., who attended Morgantown High school, has accepted a position at Howard Johnson's restaurant, Brandywine station on the Pennsylvania turnpike.

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### Picnic Is Scheduled At Sussel Park for Youngsters Today

By SANDRA JOHN

The school picnic will be held today at Sussel park. Principal John B. Ferdinand reported that the field events will begin at 10 a. m. They will include bag races, potato races, 25 and 50-yard dashes, standing and running broad jumps.

At about 11:30 a. m. all the Boy Scouts of the school will get the fire ready for the roasting of hot dogs.

Kenneth Stauffer is chairman of this committee. After each child in the school has roasted his "dog," he will be served potato chips, pickles, orange drink, ice cream and pretzels.

After lunch entertainment will be provided by the different grades. Janice Meeker is chairman in Sixth grade. She is also going to direct a play entitled "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

The following Fifth and Sixth graders will take part:

Janice Meeker — commentator; Lois Brunner — Snow White; James Heimbach — prince; Beverly Mest — queen; Dorothy Clemmer — witch; Stephen Pollinotz — huntsman; Robert Townsley, Ronald Endy, Charles Stroop, Patrick McBride, guards.

Also Barbara Geiser — Dopey; Virginia Messer — Sleepy; Rosemary Maylath, Doc; Margaret Lauer — Sneezey; Marie Brunner — Grumpy; Bertine Mest — Bashful; Annette John — Happy.

Stephen Pollinotz and Clark Hughes, both Fifth and Sixth graders, will have charge of the cleanup committee.

Teachers and pupils of Upper Pottsgrove school thank members of The Mercury staff for their cooperation in publishing school news this year.

Pupils of Second, Third and Fourth grades witnessed an arithmetic program on school television on May 26.

It was about time used in many different ways.

### LUDWIGS CORNER

Mrs. H. J. Ash, corr. Phone Eagle 8-2245 Richard Reigner, del. Phone Pottstown 1475-J.

The West Vincent PTA will hold its meeting in Vincent Baptist church. A covered dish supper will precede installation of officers and the business meeting.

The Birchrunville Sewing circle met at the home of Mrs. Chester Meredith with 18 members present. Secret pals will be revealed at the June meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Albert Vail.

Grace A. Gordon, teacher of Chestnut Grove, West Vincent township, took boys of her safety patrol to Shibe Park for a ball game.

Union school, East Nantmeal township, held a square dance on Friday evening.

The Ludwig's Corner Horse Show Barn Dance will be held June 7 at General Young's barn, Whitford. Guy Mercer and his orchestra will furnish the music.

The Rev. Grayson Stup, former pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church, visited his parishioners for several days. The Rev. Stup is now retired and living with his daughter, Mary, and family in Atlanta, Ga.

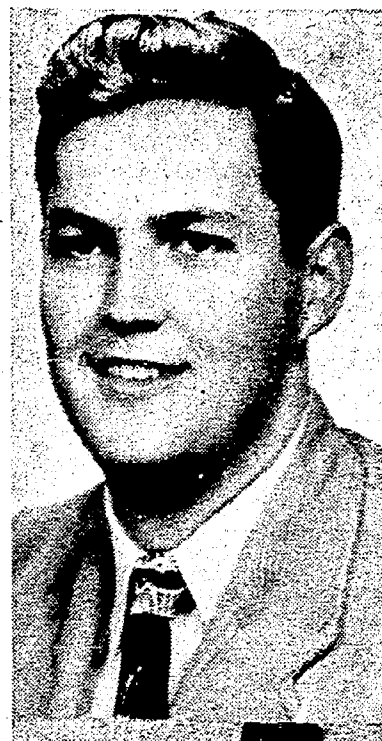
The guild of St. Matthew's Reformed church served a turkey banquet to members of the Dealers' Implement association recently.

A Father's Day program will be given by the children at the next Mite society meeting in St. Matthew's Reformed church.

Mrs. Augustus Emery, who has been a patient in the North Center Osteopathic hospital for some time, hopes to return home this week.

COMMUNISTS RALLY  
LINZ, Austria, June 1 (AP)—Seven thousand young Communists assembled here today for a Whit-sunide rally.

## Graduating From Juniata College



John R. Rothenberger, 128 North Walnut street, Boyertown; Phyllis N. Kulp, Pottstown RD 1, and John R. Malenke, Parkerford (left to right), are three of four Pottstown area students who will be graduated from Juniata college this morning. James A. Giordano, 42 Main street, Spring City, is the fourth. Those pictured will receive bachelor of science degrees, Rothenberger in psychology, Miss Kulp in home economics and Malenke in elementary education. Giordano will be presented a bachelor of arts degree in history. Dr. Clarence R. Pentz, 1001 Schuylkill road, Kenilworth, assumed his duties as national president of the college alumni association at Alumni Day at the school Saturday. Dr. Pentz, a former Navy medical officer, was graduated in 1926.

## Link With De Gasperi Forces Hinted Possible by Pro-Reds

MILAN, Italy, June 1 (AP)—The Italian Socialist party, loyal follower of the Communist party line since 1948, hinted today that reconciliation with the hard-pressed pro-Western Christian Democratic bloc is possible.

Pietro Nenni, party boss and president of the pro-Communist World Peace Partisans, opened the door. He did it in his first public speech since the May 25 municipal elections, in which the Communists and their partisans failed to make expected gains despite a fiery campaign.

Premier Alcide de Gasperi, leader of the Christian Democrats, later today made a dramatic plea for national unity. But the premier made it clear he wanted support only from believers in democracy—not from the Communist-led left or the pro-Fascist right.

Nenni purposely kept his words vague—but they came after rumors that he had told confidantes he did not want to repeat the tragic role Jan Masaryk played in Czechoslovakia. Masaryk, then foreign minister, fell or was pushed to his death after remaining in the government when the Communists took power.

"OUR FORCES will be with those who intend to consolidate the democratic and republic institutions," Nenni told a Socialist meeting.

He said Socialist co-operation with the Communists does not "destroy our autonomy, but merely limits its range." He described Italy's political situation as requiring at least a "minimum of co-operation between the center and the left of the political lineup."

Since the 1948 elections the Nenni Socialists have been considered political puppets of the Communists. They have had no contacts with the middle of the road Government forces. The party's strength fell from 14.2 percent of the popular vote in the 1951 municipal elections to 10.4 percent the next week.

When Nenni's Socialists made their alliance with the Communists, a large section of the party broke away under the leadership of former deputy Premier Giuseppe Saragat. Saragat's Socialists and other minor anti-Communist Socialist groups now are united under the PSDI group (Italian Democratic Socialist Party). Nenni's Socialists were expelled by the international Socialist group some three years ago.

Nenni's speech did not mark any clear break with the Communists. He referred to "left" and

those who forced to consolidate the democratic and republic institutions.

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## 45 U. S. PLANES DOWNED IN MAY

Communist Loss Set At 39 in Same Month; Allies Excel in Air War

SEOUL, Korea, Monday, June 2 (AP)—The Fifth Air Force acknowledged Sunday night the loss of 45 planes over North Korea during May, but reported 39 Communist aircraft destroyed the past month. Allied losses were listed as nine in aerial combat, 28 shot down by Red ground fire and eight from causes unknown.

The Air Force said 32 MIG-15 jet fighters and two Communist propeller-driven fighters were shot down and five old Yak-9 fighters were destroyed on the ground.

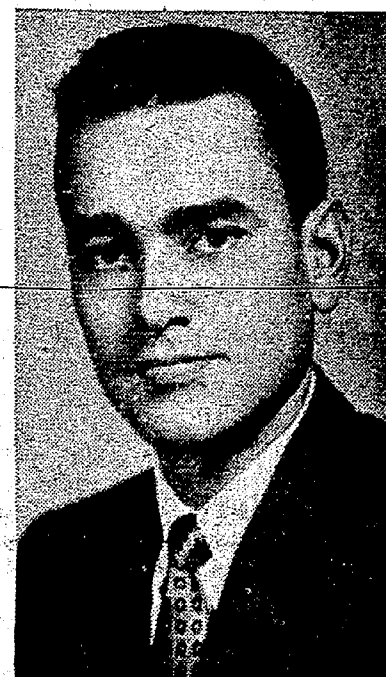
Despite the Communist edge in overall results, the figures did not tell the full story. Throughout the month Allied air power ranged freely over North Korea—as it has since the outbreak of the Korean war. The Reds did not once venture south of the battlefield.

THAT SITUATION leaves the Allied warplanes exposed to the twin risks of ground fire and aerial combat. In the air war, Allied fighters held a margin of almost four-to-one: 34 to 9.

The month was notable for the greatest sustained Allied air strike of the war—a saturation raid against the revived industrial center between Chinnampo and Pyongyang, the Korean Communist capital. On May 15-17 the Fifth Air Force pounded the center with all its formations. Listed as wiped out were a hand grenade factory and 460 buildings.

PRESBYTERIANS TO MEET  
CHARLESTOWN, W. Va., June 1 (AP)—Pennsylvania members of the Presbyterian church, U. S., will meet here this week in the 92nd General assembly.

## Lafayette Students Graduate



Charles R. Elicker Jr., (left) son of Dr. and Mrs. C. Robert Elicker, 720 High street, and Donald A. Ziegler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos B. Ziegler, of Limerick, will graduate from Lafayette college Friday. Elicker, who majored in economics, will receive the bachelor of arts degree. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity, the Newman club and Senior court, and played on the freshman basketball team. Ziegler is one of the few Seniors to be elected both to Phi Beta Kappa, honorary academic society, and Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering society. He was named to receive the George Wharton Pepper prize after being chosen the "ideal Lafayette student," and was elected president of his class for the next five years.

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## Young Officer Promoted



Writing his medical reports is Francis J. Sweeney, naval officer who was recently advanced to the rank of lieutenant. Serving on the medical staff at the U.S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Monterey, Calif., the newly-promoted Pottstown native is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sweeney, 476 North Charlotte street, and the husband of the former Kathleen O'Connor, of Rockville, Md. Lieut. Sweeney previously served aboard the aircraft carrier USS Boxer in the Korean area.

## LINFIELD

Mrs. Mary Clemens, cor. Robert Quinn, del. Phone Linfield 2881.

Mrs. Segourney Wilson spent a day at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kulp and family of Delaware Water Gap, and Mr. and Mrs. John Grebe and daughter, Kay, of Sanatoga, visited Edgar Braut.

Earl Bartman Jr., of Pottstown, and Mrs. Warren Knode, of Gilbertsville, spent a day with Mrs. Harry Bartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carl, of Parkerford; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Novak; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Trisger attended the recent Fire association meeting at Edgeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Baronoff attended a Grocers' association banquet in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ahlum, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hammel and children, Drew and Gene, visited in Hershey recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Frisco, of Pottstown, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Byndas spent the holidays at Rock Hall, Md.

Three busloads of the Linfield-Limerick Fifth and Sixth grade school children enjoyed a day at Hershey. Teachers, Charles B. Shoup, Leonard Cadwell and Mr. Catranos were in charge.

Mrs. Roy Schurr and Mrs. Dale Schurr attended a tea given by Mrs. Ivan Hess, Limerick, for workers on the Cancer Crusade of this district.

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*That a lie which is all a lie may be met and fought with outright; but a lie which is part a truth is a harder matter to fight.—Alfred Lord Tennyson.*

### Strengthen the Faith

WE BELIEVED The Flag was a precious reminder to our youth of Lincoln, Washington and the millions of American soldiers who gave their lives for liberty.

We believed to the youth growing up in a world threatened by Godless ideology. The Flag was a precious reminder of all things that are great and good in man.

We believed The Flag was a glorious heritage to inspire young Americans to greatness.

Our faith should not be shaken by the desecration of The Flag by two Pottstown men early Saturday morning. The insulting action must give strength to our youth for the great burden they must carry in the future.

### Whitsunday—Pentecost

YESTERDAY WAS Whitsunday, or Pentecost, on the religious calendar. Pentecost is from the Greek "pentekoste," the fiftieth. It is an observance held by the Jews 50 days after Passover, and by the Christian churches, 50 days after Easter. It is called Pentecost by the Roman Catholic Church; Whitsunday by the Anglicans.

Whitsunday, or Pentecost, commemorates the descent of the Holy Ghost upon the disciples who were gathered to give thanks for harvests.

In Acts, Chapter 2, verses one to four, we read:

"And when the day of the Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

"And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.

"And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.

"And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance."

While it may seem strange in this climate to observe a religious day at this time of year for offering thanks for harvests, which we gather in the Fall, we must take into account that seasons vary. Below the equator it is winter when it is summer up here.

Regardless of the seasons, the point is that God looks with favor on those who take time to give thanks to Him. It was while the disciples were gathered for the Pentecost that the spirit of God came from heaven as of a rushing wind and filled all of them with the Holy Ghost.

Taking a cue from the disciples, it can pay all of us to attend our churches on Sunday to give our own thanks to God.

### Keep Your Fingers Crossed

THE POTTSTOWN area was fortunate over the Memorial Day holiday weekend. Traffic casualties were held to a minimum. But how long can we breathe easily?

But with more than 60,000,000 motorists planning to take to the road throughout America this summer on short trips and long jaunts, it becomes more important than ever for car owners to make certain their vehicles are in the best mechanical shape possible in the interest of their own safety and the safety of others on the highway.

Many travelers were killed and injured during the summer vacation period last year in accidents involving cars that were mechanically unsafe. Competent safety researchers have found that on the average one of every nine traffic deaths occurs in accidents involving automobiles with mechanical defects.

In most cases these defects can be adjusted or repaired rather easily and at reasonable cost, for experts have found that the major mechanical deficiencies are worn tires, faulty brakes, badly focused headlights and loose steering mechanisms.

While having these things checked, it also would be advisable to have thorough inspections made of such things as exhaust systems, windshield wipers, horns, rear-view and side-view mirrors and window glass.

Such precautions should be taken by all car owners a few days before setting out on a trip. Of course, this is especially the case for those who drive cars eight or ten years old; or older; in that category it has been found that thorough maintenance check-ups are needed progressively; more often to insure safe operation.

Be sure and be safer.

## Grampaw Oakley

Editor, The Mercury, June 1.

Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, what was so soggy as a day in May? Will ever come better days in June? There are reports some of Pottstown's taxi owners are seeking permits to operate gondolas on High street!

At that, scientists may come to our rescue, as they say clothes soon may be made out of a fabric created from petroleum. A sort of new oil cloth, as it were!

And say: There's a new word in our dictionary. It's "spudnapper." An Oklahoma farmer reported thieves dug up and stole his potato crop!

Hopin' you air the same, GRAMPANED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

## North End Should Have a Fire Company—Fast

### Keep Down Obstacles

To the Editor: I'm a fireman and the protests of North End residents against the North End company seem unfounded. They seemed so from the beginning.

I see by The Mercury Judge Arnold Forrest feels the zoning board of adjustment has fallen short of its duty in the way it rejected the North End company's request to build a fire house at Prospect and Evans streets.

If the judge decides we should have a fire company in the North End I wonder what the zoning board will do then.

I can understand why North Enders don't want a fire house with a liquor license. After all it is a residential area. But what's wrong with a fire hall?

I'm sure not all the residents out there are as short-sighted as the complainers. From a practical fire-fighting standpoint a North End Fire company fully equipped and located in the heart of that residential zone is only common sense.

I'm not one of these "rootin' tootin'" knock-'em-down fire eaters myself. I just believe in fire protection and the best fire protection which can be set up.

### INTERPRETIVE

## Reds Lead Hate Drive Against Gen. Ridgway

By JOHN FISHER

AS GENERAL RIDGWAY takes over from General Eisenhower, he will undergo the most stupendous barrage of unadulterated hatred ever hurled at an American in Europe.

For weeks the Communist propaganda machines have been showering the Continent with advance calumnies. Now that the new commander is assuming leadership of NATO, the avalanche of bitterness is even greater.

The basic reason for the organized malice is that the free world's strength is reaching the security point.

If the race continues, if the Allies stay united if Germany can be integrated into the western defense system and if satellites continue to chafe under the Soviet yoke, Moscow no longer will hold the initiative in power politics.

Stalin realizes this. Hence he is doing everything possible short of a shooting war to aggravate European tensions.

Watch for violence in West Germany and new crisis in isolated Berlin, as Communist agents try to block the Bonn Republic from partnership with the West. Watch for mass demonstrations by Communists in Italy and France. Watch for new hate-America campaigns in the puppet states.

These disturbances already have started. They are going into high gear as Ridgway appears on the scene.

THE FOCAL POINT of malevolence has been the Big Lie about America's role in Korea. We are falsely charged with atrocities against women and children, brutality to prisoners, germ and gas warfare and other crimes.

When the President appointed Ridgway to succeed Eisenhower, Moscow immediately declared that the very man who, according to its propaganda, had perpetrated unspeakable horrors in Korea, was coming to Europe to do the same things to Europeans. Having created in Europeans a feeling of abhorrence over Korea, Moscow transformed that feeling into fright.

For example, a French Communist publication charges that Ridgway was deliberately sent to Europe because "his hands are still bloody from the massacres in Korea" and that he plans to turn Germany into a new Korea and the Elbe line into a European 38th Parallel and start "an international atomic and germ conflict."

The German Communist radio, beamed both inside and outside the Iron Curtain, is even a dirtier character assassin. It charges that Germany is to be placed at the mercy of "the Butcher of Korea, whom the whole peace-loving world despises."

It accuses him of being a millionaire stockholder in munition factories and, thereby, profiting from the shells that kill Koreans.

IT CHARGES that as a young army officer he had a notorious record for persecuting people in Central American republics and that he was awarded a medal by "the Argentine Fascist Peron."

The trade ends with the warning: "Ridgway's coming clearly foreshadows the terrible war to be unleashed in Europe."

The free nations have been able to pool their strength and to woo West German statesmen to their side. Stalin needs a suspicious, angry, violent, frightened mass of Europeans to undermine the unity and power of the West and, behind the Iron Curtain, to stick to Russia.

The hate-America drive was among the most conspicuous features of recent Communist May Day demonstrations. Prague broadcasts described "the shining faces of thousands of children parading down the square."

These are the Czech little ones whom American soldiers helped liberate from the Nazis and whose fathers and grandfathers American soldiers helped set free, in World War I.

## FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING

For MR. AND MRS. PERCY WAGG, 828 Glasgow street, Stowe.

BECAUSE they observed their 25th wedding anniversary yesterday.

The name and complete address of the author must accompany every contribution but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 250 words will receive preference.

A company in the North End would just about fix Pottstown as far as equalized protection is concerned.

Fire insurance is something I know little about. But you'd think the builders who are constructing expensive projects in the North End, and for that matter, the average home owner who has to buy fire insurance would be in favor of a North End company.

I hate to say it, but maybe they'll wise up after a couple homes are burned to the ground because downtown companies can't get to the scene fast enough.

A fire in the North End could just about raze a home on a busy Saturday afternoon or night before the downtown companies could get there.

East End LOYAL FIREMAN

### Jaycees Do Good Job

To the Editor: Can you give me a little space to praise those young men in the Junior Chamber of Commerce who are going after this clean-up problem in a big way?

It certainly is wonderful to be young and energetic and think of projects that benefit the town.

Ever since those men formed their

organizations they've been doing good things for Pottstown, like that mosquito-spraying program they've been putting on every Summer.

It's too bad that council couldn't see its way clear to spending \$75 to help the Junior Chamber of Commerce clean up the town, but I believe these young men have enough spunk to inspire the good people of Pottstown to do it themselves, without government interference.

Pottstown MRS. R.

### Calls for Flood Control

To the Editor: I think Pottstown should do something about flood control.

What about the Manatany? I overheard a conversation the other day. Two men were talking about the depth of the stream. I think we could do something there if the matter were investigated.

By deepening the Manatany, it seems to me, a major portion of Pottstown's flood problems could be eliminated.

Is there a civic-minded person or group in the borough who would pioneer such a movement?

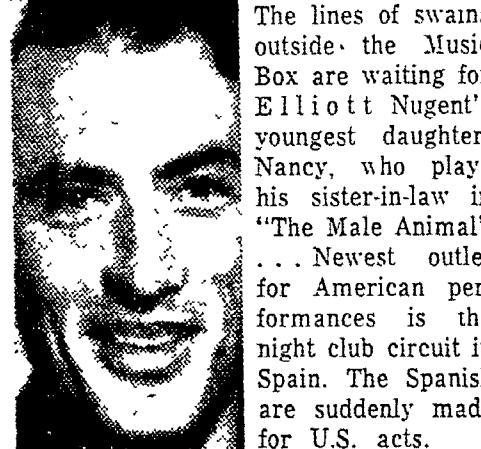
Pottstown FUTURE MINDED

## The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

### Broadway Grapevine

VIVIAN BLAINE went on the Berle show Tuesday night with a scary temperature. She had an attack of virus that made her miss a performance of "Guys and Dolls" last week, but wouldn't give in to it...



Gregory Peck

The lines of swans outside the Music Box are waiting for Elliott Nugent's youngest daughter, Nancy, who plays his sister-in-law in "The Male Animal"...

AN ELECTRO-stimulator now being used in psychiatric treatment will be front page news soon. It has been used to save the lives of many who have taken overdoses of barbiturates, and may eventually revolutionize the treatment of drowning persons...

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IF SHE HAD a dental appointment in the morning or were going to a meeting of her PTA committee, she'd doll up in a charming manner.

But she forgets that I am the most important man in her life, if only for her financial support.

Apparently, she thinks that my affection and high regard for her, can never change because I promised to love her 20 years ago.

But I am fully aware of these menopausal changes in men about which you have written so frankly at times.

I am needing a little more seductive appeal at home to give me the old romantic urge. That wasn't necessary 20 years ago, but things have changed with the passage of time.

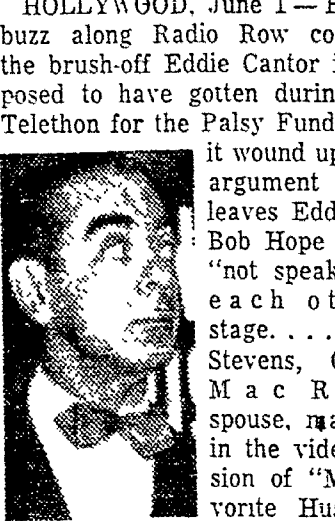
I love my wife and admire her immensely. She is a wonderful mother of our two children in high school. She is popular and can be as charming as my secretary.



## Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, June 1—Biggest buzz along Radio Row concerns the brush-off Eddie Cantor is supposed to have gotten during that Telethon for the Palsy Fund. Hear it wound up in an argument that leaves Eddie and Bob Hope at the "not speaking to each other" stage...



Eddie Cantor

A BIG TURN in the Korean situation is due within a fortnight, as a result of hush-hush United Nations talks now going on in Japan... Bob Hope is burning at the trade paper stories that he can't find a new radio sponsor. He's had several offers—but so far none have been what he wanted...

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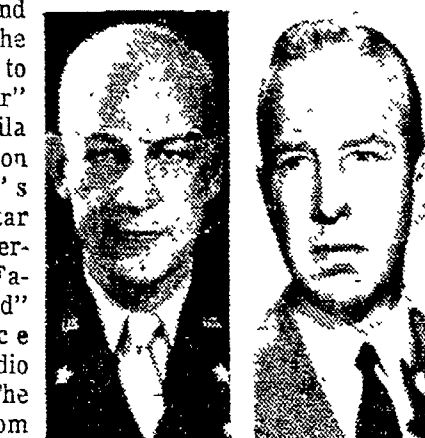
## How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER QUICK!

1. When is the Summer solstice?

2. Can you identify Farmer George by this nickname?

### FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS THE NAME



1. This Army officer was born in Greenfield, Ohio, May 26, 1895. He was advanced through the grades to major general. He was with Group Operations division, general staff during 1942-44; assistant chief of staff of Plans and Operations division general staff in 1946. In 1949 he was appointed director of the Weapons Systems Evaluation Group, office secretary of defense. He is now Army vice chief of staff. Can you tell his name?

2. He is one of those actors who has left the Hollywood scene to perform on radio and television. He was born in San Francisco, Cal., attended Leland Stanford university, and joined the Pasadena Community theater. He toured in "The Front Page," and played in "Cape Cod Follies," "Hight Hat," "Reunion in Vienna," "Americana," "One Sunday Afternoon," "Guadalcanal Diary," "Bataan," "Circumstantial Evidence," "Captain Eddie," "Interference," "Bad Boy," "The Lemon Drop Kid," are other films in which he acted. He has later played "Martin Kane, Private Detective" on television. What is his name?

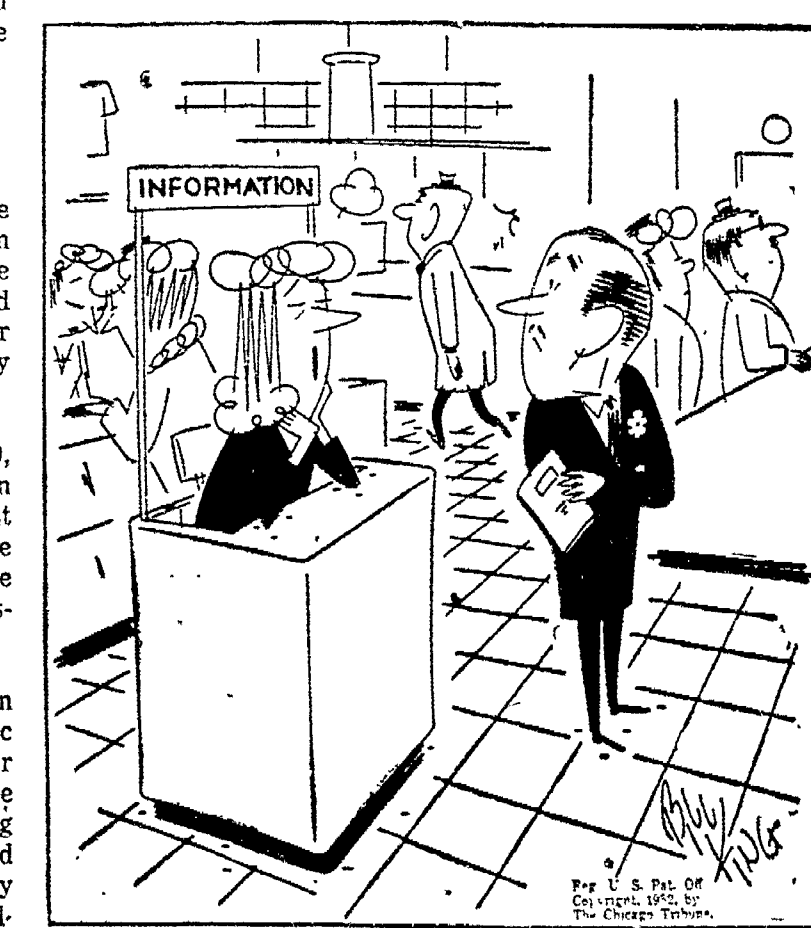
IT HAPPEND TODAY  
1944—French Commission for National Liberation established in Algiers, Africa, provisional government of French republic in World War II.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE  
GYRATE—(JI-rate)—adjective: winding or coiled around; curves. Verb intransitive—to revolve round a central point; move spirally about an axis, as a tornado. Origin: Latin—"Gyratus," made in a circular form, past participle of "Gyrare," to gyrate.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
It's "hands across the sea" today as we wish happy birthdays to Anna Margarete Goret, noted Swedish artist, and Professor Adam Andrew McConnell, Irish surgeon.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?  
1. About June 21.  
2. King George III of England.

## Pottstown Sketches



"I send them all to the sixth floor. Saves memorizing all that stuff!"

## Weeper Draws 'Em... More Diplomas...

★ SIGHT—What sight or sound interested Pottstown High seniors most on their class trip to New York? To many graduates, it was their first trip to Manhattan. Had it not rained, they might have gotten sunburned tonsils gawking at the big buildings. Had they been there any time but a holiday, the deafening roar of the subways, the cacophony of the elevateds, might have deafened them. But it was a quiet trip. Grant's tomb interested some; others wouldn't go in because rain held them in a bus. Empire State building? Yes, that was a world's wonder. But the biggest thrill? When a gang went to hear Johnny Ray, the weeping singer! He's the guy who really sent Pottstown High seniors—and the biggest attraction of the trip!

PERKIOMEN GRAD—Ronald W. "Bill" Pascucci, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Pascucci, 824 High street, was graduated from Perkiomen school, Pennsburg. He was a member of the varsity football squad and was on the school's newspaper and magazine staffs. He'll enter Ursinus college, Collegeville in the Fall. His father, former proprietor of Bechtel's restaurant, 361 High street, now is an automobile salesman in Phoenixville. The son attended Norristown, then Pottstown Senior High school.

★ NEW ROUTER—Adam G. Warner, Pottstown RD 4, will take over the egg route of the late G. Burton Jones. Unionville, who was killed in a tractor accident... Father's Day is on the way, so maybe a little background on the necktie could be in order. The bow tie has popped back into top popularity for its biggest boom since France's Louis XIV originated it. Pity mother and the kids in trying to make a bow tie selection, though. Tie makers now have 75,000 different color combinations ready in bow ties. And in the shops of the country there are 4,500,000 bow ties waiting to be bought. If your husband has a long, narrow face, get him a straight edge bow. The butterfly bow, though, fits any mug. Panel bows, where the pattern or the design is centered in the tie, are popular.

THE DROWNING season seems to have started early hereabouts. This may account for some record fatalities. Of all the persons who go to resorts, only 7 percent can swim 100 yards or more, 40 percent can swim 30 yards, and 54 percent can't swim at all! Now do you wonder?

★ GIVE AWARD DEPT.—Mrs. Lee Adams, 618 Willow street has a hedge fence, from 3 to 5 feet in height, for anyone who will take it away... Two black cats, with kittens. Mrs. George Needhammer, Ringing Hill, phone 393-R4... Part police and part spit one and a half year old male dog. Contact Mrs. George Lasky, 555 East Howard street, Stowe, Phone 2768-M.

★ SOLDIER—Pvt. Joseph H. Pierce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pierce, Elverson RD 1, has completed Army basic training at Ft. Eustis, Va... Pottstown on Parade, local picture magazine which comes out now and then, will be on the streets for Flag Day, June 14, Paul Jones, its owner, reported... The Rev. Delaine E. Story, who's public relations director at Firestone, saw his first Indianapolis speedway 500-mile race on Memorial Day... June is Ice Cream Festival Month and this column can hardly wait for a crunchy snowball with grape flavor!... And we leave you with this charming note: Life is an everlasting struggle to keep money coming in and teeth and hair from coming out.

## YOUR HEALTH

By HERMANN N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

THE PROBLEM of constipation in their children causes many mothers much worry. Perhaps some of these mothers may wish to ask their doctor about the treatment I am going to describe, which employs a bulky substance called methylcellulose.

Constipation in children can result from many causes, including improper diet and unhealthy or disturbing living conditions. Bacterial infections and allergies are other causes.

Many families start to use—or abuse—laxatives when the child is very young and set the stage for bowel troubles. They may train the child to have bowel movements at definite times, but neglect to make sure the youngster promptly answers an urge at some other time of day. Such things as haste, fear, shame, or the attitude of elders, can readily interfere with this important function, with bad results for the child's health.

One group of children with constipation complaints was given methylcellulose three times a day. The substance is taken always with plenty of water in the form of tablets, or is sprinkled on food. It does not react on the body like a cathartic, but absorbs water and other liquids forming a large amount of bulk, somewhat like gelatin.

Almost all the children showed excellent improvement after taking this treatment, from the tots 7½ months of age to the 13-year-olds. The movements became normal, and the children were also found to gain weight faster. After a few months, the treatment was stopped, but the constipation did not return.

Those cases of constipation due to an allergy were also helped by this plan. In fact, a few children with severe asthma accompanying an allergic form of constipation lost their asthma, together with the bowel complaint.

### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

M. F.: At one time I was told that epinephrine was used in treating shock. Is it still being used?

Answer: Most authorities agree that the use of such drugs is dangerous in the treatment of shock. Shock is best treated by the administration of fluids, particularly blood.



## Rain Hampers Day Finishing Clean-Up Week

Rainy weather washed out most of the activities scheduled for the final day of "Clean-up, Fix-up, Paint-up" week Saturday.

The downpour canceled an inspection of the borough by town officials and officers of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, which sponsored the special observance.

Boy Scouts who were scheduled to mow the grass and perform other clean-up jobs at Memorial park were kept home by the rain. Six Jaycee members, however, under direction of Willard Sears, dredged the creek near Beech street and landscaped the bank.

Campaign chairman Harold Eschbach announced last night that the "clean-up" drive will be extended until today, when the Boy Scouts will clear the parking lot at High street and Moser road, and dig up weeds along Route 422 between Sunnybrook and Highland roads.

THE GENERAL inspection of the borough scheduled for Saturday will also be made today.

"The drive wasn't as successful as I hoped it might be," said Eschbach. "Because of other activities, we did not have enough time to plan the campaign, and we did not receive sufficient cooperation from various clubs and borough officials, who were handicapped by lack of funds."

Eschbach said the drive was an educational campaign, the object of which was to encourage residents to make "Clean-up, Fix-up, Paint-up Week" a year-round event.

"I wish to thank the Boy Scouts and the fire companies for their full support in the campaign," Eschbach added.

## SATURDAY'S SALES

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bad weather and the closing of stores Memorial Day which combined to produce the exceptional day of sales.

Jack Hoffman of the New York store, said, "I've been trying to figure it out. A lot of farm people probably came to town because of the rain."

"BUSINESS WAS good early in the morning and continued all day. It was a terrific increase over the Saturday before. For us it was the best Saturday since the Easter season and maybe the best of the year. It was the topic among merchants when ever they met."

Edward H. Larkin, manager of McCrory's 5 and 10-cent store, said, "It was the best Saturday since our opening weekend."

The store was opened this past April 4, and the following day, April 5, was the best Saturday for business.

Larkin explained, "Thursday wasn't as good as a normal Friday. But we made up for it Saturday. I guess many folks were so disappointed with the weather, they decided to stay in the area over the weekend and came to Pottstown to shop."

A spokesman at the A and P store said "We were terrifically busy on Saturday and were busy on Thursday too. I guess the holiday Friday had a lot to do with it. And then whenever it rains a lot during a weekend we have heavy sales among country people."

HAROLD LITVIN of People's market said, "We expected to be busy Saturday, but business was better than we hoped for. It was one of our biggest Saturdays in a long, long time."

An Acme spokesman said, "I was amazed and surprised. We had our largest single day of business on Saturday since our store opened more than two years ago."

"Buyers didn't select one single item. They bought staple goods. We did a good business on Thursday too. It must have been the weather."

Arthur S. Weitzenkorn, manager of A. Weitzenkorn's and Sons, clothiers, said, "Yes, business was very good. We

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## POTTSGROVE OPENS—

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hats, red wigs and long white stockings.

The carriage, pulled by two bay chestnut horses, arrived at the manor at 2 p. m., after which a reception was held by members of the Pottstown Historical society.

The official program began at 2:50 p. m., with the scheduled speakers on the back porch and the audience seated in the yard.

The invocation was offered by the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor of Zion's Reformed church, after which a flag raising ceremony was conducted by members of the Pottstown Veterans council.

The color guard included John Gimont and Paul H. Lysoby, of Pottstown Post 23, Amvets; Eugene Hohl, John Suchoz, Edwin Pierman and Clarence Renoll, of George A. Amole Post 47, American Legion; and Paul Surma, Smith McAllister, Al McAllister and Earl Antrim, of Post 789, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Ned Simpson and Harry W. Wilson, of the American Legion post, raised the flag under the direction of Col. Fred H. Kelley, a director of the Pottstown Historical society.

Merritt S. Wien, junior vice commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars post, gave the order to present arms.

AFTER THE flag ceremony, the Rev. Frantz led the audience in singing of "The Star Spangled Banner." Then Robert Mallison, president of the Senior class at Pottstown High school, presided at the planting of a white pine tree donated by the school pupils.

Mrs. James I. Wendell, president of the Pottstown Historical society, extended greetings to the guests and introduced State Senator LeRoy Chapman, a member of the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission.

Senator Chapman in turn introduced two days' business in one.

"I guess the people just didn't leave for extended trips because of the weather. They spent their money in Pottstown instead."

The increase in business was general. Spokesmen at both the Hippodrome and Strand theaters reported better than average Saturdays.

## HOLIDAY WEATHER

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banks. Streets and sidewalks were flooded as storm sewers were taxed to capacity.

Good Will firemen manned a pumper at High and Rice streets to relieve the strain on the borough's sanitary sewer system and to minimize the danger of flooding at the home of M. Elizabeth Klink, Pottstown school teacher. Six firemen worked in shifts from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. to relieve the pressure on the sewer system.

The Mantawny began creeping over the baseball diamond at West King street as the rain neared its end. It had inundated a few low sections along its fringes, but had not encroached upon the infield section.

Some water from Hubley's run overflowed near Water street at the culvert and Spregel's run was flowing bankful along its course. Although subjected to almost constant rain over the weekend, the Bell telephone system was not interrupted. Willard L. Kline, manager, said seepage had caused no trouble in the lines.

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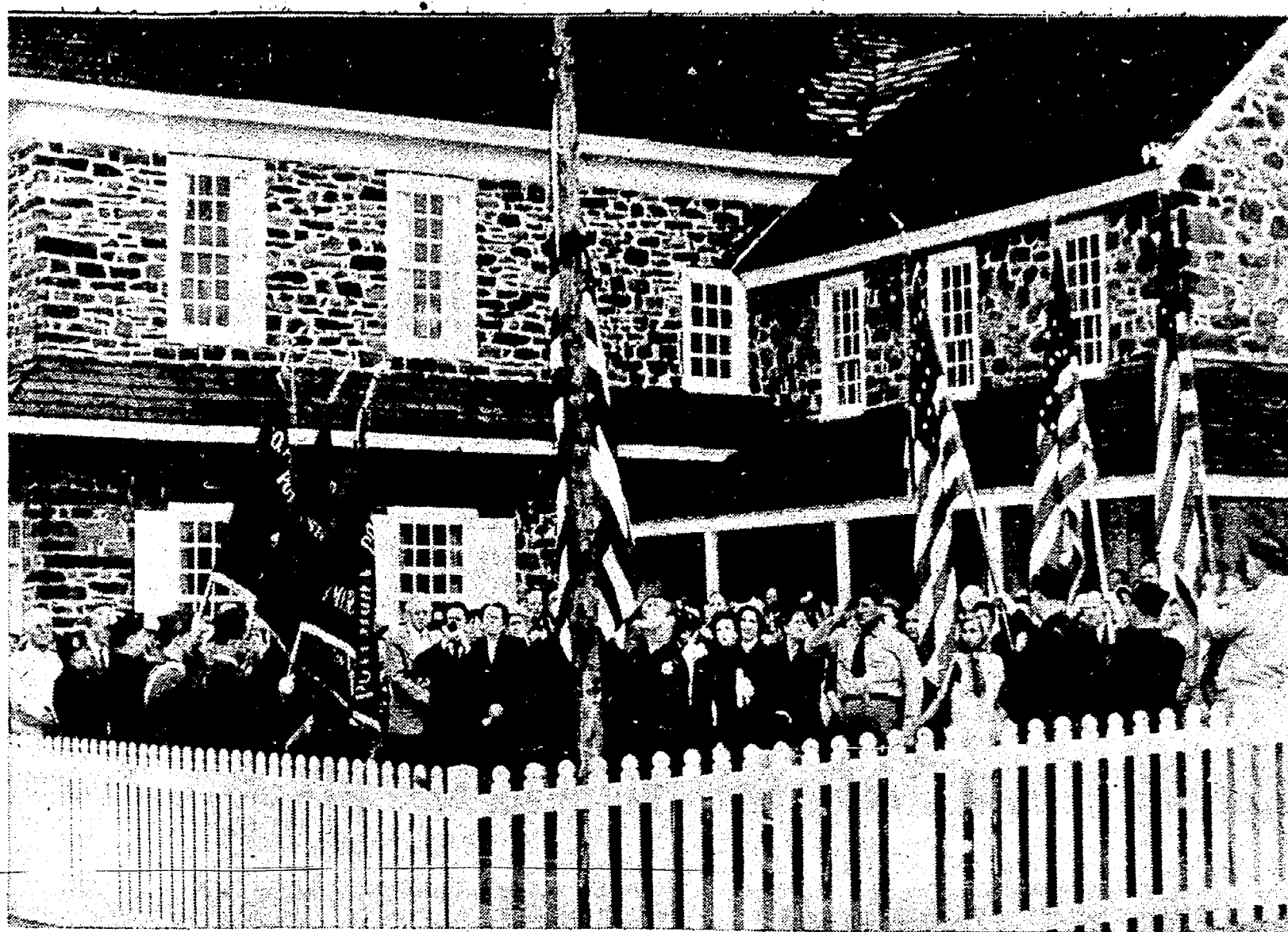


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## Flag Raised Over Pottsgrove



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Representatives of Pottstown's veterans organizations salute the colors during the flag raising ceremony at the official opening of Pottsgrove manor Saturday afternoon. Ned Simpson and Harry W. Wilson, of George A. Amole Post 47, American Legion, raised the flag under the direction of Col. Fred H. Kelley, a director of the Pottstown Historical society. Five hundred persons attended the exercises, held in the back yard of the manor, which marked the restoration of the 200-year-old home of John Potts, founder of Pottstown.

Lieut. Gov. Wood, the principal speaker, who discussed the history of the manor, dwelling for shelter as the downpour started, particularly on its use during the Revolutionary War.

Wood pointed out that General Washington is reported to have used the mansion for five days as a headquarters between the battles of Brandywine and Germantown.

The speaker added that stories of the weather. They spent their money in Pottstown instead. The increase in business was general. Spokesmen at both the Hippodrome and Strand theaters reported better than average Saturdays.

WOOD REVIEWED the restoration of the manor, which cost \$20,000, through appropriations from the State and contributions from the citizens and industries of Pottstown.

"This is not just another restored manor," concluded Wood, "but one of the few outstanding examples of Colonial architecture in the State." Following Wood's address, a welcome was extended by Burgess William A. Griffith, and the bene-

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chairman of the hospitality committee, directed the serving of refreshments. The manor, which was turned over to the State Historical and Museum commission by the Pottstown Historical society 10 years ago, will be open for public inspection daily from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. on Sundays from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Hostesses attired in Colonial costume welcomed visitors to inspect the rooms of the stone structure, which is decked with drapes and early American furniture. Mrs. Henry Colbath,

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## Election Seen Friday For Union at Jacob's

The tentative date for election of officers at Jacob's Aircraft Local 3802, United Steel Workers (CIO), of the month. The next session has been set for Friday. The executive committee of the election.

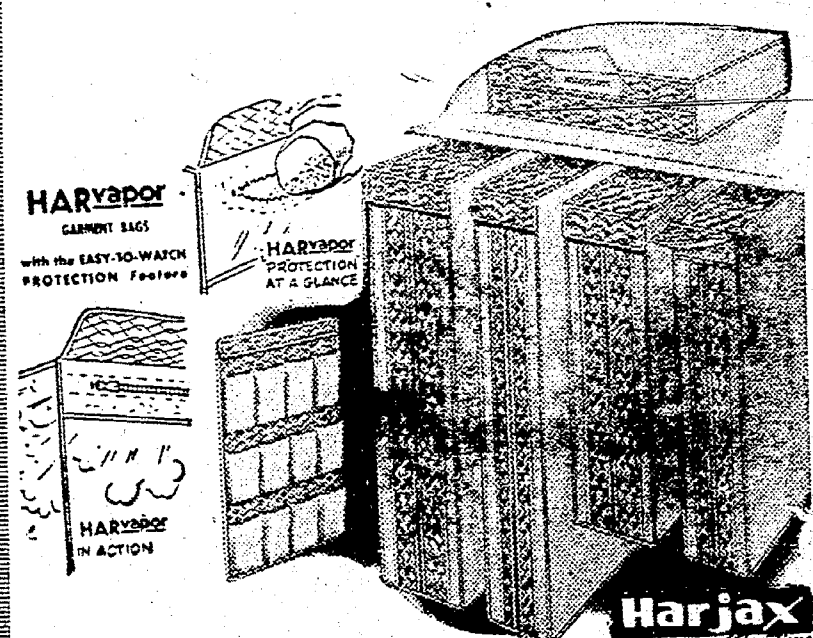
union is expected to confirm the date today.

Due to the holiday shutdown at the Madison and Queen streets plant, a scheduled union meeting has been postponed until the middle of the month. The next session probably will be held after the election.

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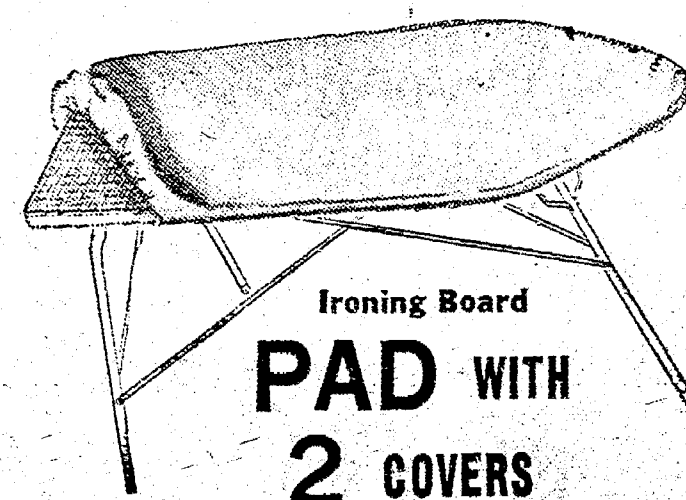
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